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EASTERN NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

No Need of Vessels of War.

BOSTON, Dec 19.—Orders were received from Washington to-day, to close all extra work at the Charlestown navy yard, and resume the usual working hours. Fitting out the *Brooklyn* will proceed, but as the emergency is over, a number of the employes have been discharged.

Conviction of Another Tammany Thief.

NEW YORK, Dec. [illegible].—The jury in the case of Henry W[illegible] [illegible] with the building of Harlem Court House [illegible] returned a verdict of guilty. A stay of sentence was granted until Monday, to give time to prepare [illegible] exceptions. A motion to admit to bail [illegible] and he was remanded to the custody of the sheriff.

A. Oakey Hall about to Get Into Trouble.

NEW YORK, Dec. [illegible].—It is reported that [illegible] Woodward, [illegible] of the ring, is now in the city [illegible] evidence on a promise of immunity from prison. His whereabouts cannot be ascertained, but it is confidently stated that he will appear on Monday against ex-Mayor Hall.

Further Evidence Against the Tweed Ring.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—Several morning papers state that [illegible] A. Woodward, who was County Auditor when the Tweed ring ruled, has consented to turn State's evidence, and has already returned to this city and given himself up to the authorities, and is now in custody. The District Attorney and his assistant, while admitting that Woodward is in the city, refuse to disclose his whereabouts. It is asserted that Woodward has been promised immunity from punishment on condition of giving testimony in all the ring cases which yet remain to be tried. It is thought he will first be used as a witness during the trial of Hall, which begins Monday. It is asserted on trustworthy authority that Woodward is prepared to furnish all missing links in the chain of testimony against persons accused of fraud, and that his confession will be especially valuable as giving information regarding the division of plunder. It is further alleged that he will implicate some persons against whom no proof of crime has heretofore been developed, including two or three persons now holding high offices. Oakey Hall still professes perfect confidence in his acquittal. The general impression is that he did not regularly join the ring or share in the division of its plunder, and that his large pecuniary acquisitions during Tweed's time came from the immense professional business given to his law firm by his ring influence. [illegible] will probably be found a sufficient motive with a jury for adjudging him guilty of criminal purpose, if the evidence convict him of official carelessness or indifference. The conviction yesterday of Prince Harry Genet was a complete surprise to the prisoner and his friends. At the conclusion of Tweed's trial, he indignantly scouted his friends advice to flee out of reach of the New York Courts. The penalty under his conviction of obtaining money by false pretenses is from one year in the penitentiary to five years in the State prison, at the discretion of the Court, and a fine not exceeding $2,000. There remain untried indictments against Genet for forgery and larceny.

Caught in the Act.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 1[illegible].—H. E. Losey, employed by the Western Union Telegraph Company, and also by the Western Associated Press, has been detected selling commercial news of the Association to the *Daily [illegible]*, which paper is not a member of the Association.

Railway Collision.

PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Dec. 20.—Two freight trains on the Eastern Railroad came together at Kennebec last night. A conductor, brakeman and fireman were killed and others injured.

Transfer of the A. & P. Telegraph Co.'s Lines to the Western Union.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—It is stated authoritatively that the transfer of the Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph Co. to the Western Union was completed yesterday. By the terms of the lease the Western Union, which owns three-quarters of the stock, is to pay four per cent. per annum on the whole capital of two million dollars.

The Samana Bay Bubble Bursts.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—The Samana Bay Company's enterprise, it is understood, is abandoned. The failure of the United States to purchase a naval coaling station there is the cause of the abandonment.

Funeral of Mr. Dent.

ST. LOUIS Dec. 20.—The funeral of Col. Frederick Dent, father-in-law of President Grant, took place here to-day from the residence of his son. A large number of old friends and acquaintances were present. The body was interred in Bellfontaine Cemetery.

The Oriental Exploring Expedition.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—The first section of the Oriental expedition of Topographical corps sailed to-day for Egypt with Professor James Strong in charge. He will be joined by George May Powell and assistants at the mouth of the Nile in March, and proceed through Sinai, Moab, Bashan, Central and Western Palestine, Asia Minor, and Greece.

WASHINGTON CITY.

Confirmations by the Senate.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 19.—The Senate has confirmed Walter Vandyke as District Attorney for California; Edward Marcellus, Marshal for California; William F. Wheeler, Marshal for Montana; Sylvester C. Silsby, Postmaster at Idaho City, Idaho; William H. Gilliam Postmaster at Seattle, Washington Territory.

The Chief-Justiceship—Certainty that Geo. H. Williams will not be Confirmed.

CHICAGO, Dec. 20.—It is now regarded as certain that if the President fails to withdraw the nomination of Williams for Chief Justice he will be rejected. If this takes place it is the purpose of a number of Senators who have the real reason for rejection, to have it published. The expectation is that in case rejection is voted by the Senate, Mr. Williams will resign as Attorney-General.

A majority of the Senators are now known to be unwilling to confirm Williams. If the nomination be not withdrawn it will be rejected, unless at least six senators change from their present attitude.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—The Senate's adjournment for the holidays without acting on Williams's nomination is ominous of defeat, because a vote would certainly have been passed if confirmation had been probable. His friends outside, however, still feel confident that the President will not withdraw the nomination, and that the Senate will ultimately confirm. His opponents doubtless weakened themselves by specific charges, which cannot be maintained, and therefore will react. Only two members of the Judiciary Committee actively support the nominations. Among his present opponents are the Connecticut Senators, who have been advised by the bar of that State that Williams argument in the Credit Mobilier case at Hartford, was so weak as to be a subject for adverse comment.

If a new nomination be made, Edward Pierrepont, of New York, is the most prominent now.

Opinion of the N. Y. Times.

NEW YORK, Dec. 20.—The *Times* says of Williams: "Lawyers everywhere regret the nomination, and the general public think a much stronger one might have been made. We cannot, as a faithful representative of public opinion, refrain from expressing a wish that the President would reconsider his nomination and send in another name. While General Grant always has firmness to adhere to any determination which in his opinion is founded on right and justice, he has also shown a wise and proper regard for public opinion, and in this instance might make a graceful concession to that opinion certainly without [illegible] public interests. At the same time, we are bound to say that we utterly disbelieve the scandals and accusations which have been circulated to the disadvantage of Williams. But is he the best man for the post?"

The Amended Salary Bill.

The amendments reported by the Senate Committee [illegible] service to the House salary Bill, are in the form of a substitute for the bill. It repeals the law of March 3, 1873, so far as relates to members, officers or employes of Congress, fixes their salaries and compensation at exactly what it was at the time of the passage of that act, and fixes the salaries of Cabinet officers at $8,000, and requires the Secretary of the Treasury to convey into the Treasury all sums withdrawn or returned which are due or have been received under the act of March, 1873.

The Virginius Not Entitled to the Protection of the Flag—Probably.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—The impression is gaining ground that the Spanish Minister will show that the *Virginius* had no right to carry the American flag; [illegible] and their American papers were obtained by fraud. If so, our Government will withdraw the demand for a salute to the American flag on the [illegible] day, according to the protocol.

European Mails.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—The Postmaster-General has announced that he will arrange a system by which European mails shall be dispatched from New York [illegible] times a week [illegible] Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday or Saturday, [illegible] the conditions of speed, security and certainty.

WEST INDIES.

Cuban Affairs.

[illegible] succeeded in landing a filibustering expedition on the south coast of the Island [illegible]

Advices from insurgent sources state that a column of 700 Spaniards set out on Monday last to surprise a depot of arms and ammunition [illegible] with six hundred cavalry [illegible] of the Spaniards escaped. The commander and [illegible] was killed, and the remainder taken [illegible]. The Cubans subsequently released Guerrilla Martello and other officers and after [illegible] the wounded, sent them under escort to the vicinity of the Spanish lines.

A Spanish column, under Col. Arminan, has started in pursuit of the insurgent force.

[illegible] of the Republican [illegible] have waited on the Consul [illegible] ships and declaring that [illegible] journals will be compelled to cease publication unless the rates are modified or abolished.

MEXICO.

Probable Trouble Over the Mayoralty of Matamoras.

MATAMORAS, Dec. 19.—There is apprehension of serious trouble over the election of Mayor of this city. Gen. Cortinas, who received a majority of the popular vote, is obnoxious to the present city authorities, who are endeavoring to prevent him from being declared elected by the return judges when they meet next Sunday. Four or five hundred of Cortinas friends are said to be under arms with a view of sustaining the claims of their chief. The city authorities, it is reported, have applied to the National Government by telegraph for the support of the Federal troops in the city, which was denied. The Federal troops have been withdrawn from the public buildings, and the city authorities have placed [illegible] the national forces will [illegible]. Cortinas will doubtless be successful.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

LONDON, Dec. 20.—A special dispatch from Madrid says there is great rejoicing there over the rumor that the Government of the United States has decided that the *Virginius* was not entitled to carry the American flag. The *Times*, commenting on the report, says such a decision would be consistent with truth and justice.

The report that Berthold, of the French legation at St. Petersburg, has been appointed Minister to Washington is confirmed.

Encouraging Growth of Republican Ideas in France.

PARIS, Dec. 19.—In the assembly to-day a bill increasing the salary of President MacMahon was passed.

The King of Dahomey Thrusts his Royal Finger into the Ashantee Pie.

LONDON, Dec. 19.—Dispatches from the gold coast announce that the King of Dahomey has joined the Ashantees.

The fever continues among British troops. Hundreds of invalids have been sent to St. Helena.

Prospective Famine in Bengal.

CALCUTTA, Dec. 20.—One-half the supply of food in Bengal is exhausted, and it is believed a famine cannot be avoided.

The Atchinese War.

PENANG, Dec. 20.—The Dutch troops in Atcheen are in possession of all the country on the left bank of the Atcheen river.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

[BY TELEGRAPH TO THE OREGONIAN.]

CALIFORNIA.

From San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 20.—A German, whose name cannot be learned at present, was run over by the cars at the Central Pacific Railroad depot in this city, yesterday, and died soon afterwards at the German hospital. The case has not been reported to the Coroner. It is stated that deceased leaves a family here.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 20.—Frank Callow was run over by cars of the Central Pacific, at Townsend street depot, receiving injuries which caused his death soon afterwards. He leaves a widow and one child in this city.

Weather to-day clear and pleasant.

Residents of this city have received $500,000 by the Havana lottery. Tom Burton, of the Occidental Hotel coaches gets $125,000; Moore, bricklayer, gets $25,000; Michael Pace, $25,000; Newspaper Carrier, $25,000; Real Estate dealer Lyons, and Commission merchant on Washington street, $25,000; William O'Connor, lamp dealer, $7,500.

The Duke of Genoa will be publicly received and entertained by Italian residents here, next Saturday.

An Agassiz memorial meeting will be held Monday night at Mercantile Library Hall, under the auspices of the California Academy of Science.

John Bedford was lost overboard from the steamer *Salinas*, yesterday, while crossing the bar, and drowned.

Greenbacks, 90⅞ to 91.

There were 101 death in the city during the week.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 20.—W. S. Edwards was arrested to-day at St. Helena, by U. S. detective Finnegass, on a charge of falsely representing himself to be a federal revenue officer.

The steamer *Costa Rica* has been seized for $10,000 insurance money, and the Central Pacific Company's steamer *Thoroughfare* for damages resulting from a collision with a ship in the harbor during the recent heavy fog.

WASHINGTON TERRITORY.

OLYMPIA, Dec. 21.—The opposition stage, which left Tenino last evening with two passengers, overturned when a few miles out, killing one of the passengers named Jamison, a resident of Tacoma, and seriously injuring the driver. The other passenger escaped.

BY STATE TELEGRAPH.

Wreck of a Schooner near Crescent City.

JACKSONVILLE, Dec. 20.—Last Monday the *May Hunt*, a schooner of about one hundred tons, drifted into the mouth of Smith river, twelve miles north of Crescent City. She is lying bottom up with her masts broken off.

FARMING IN WASHINGTON COUNTY.

[From the Forest Grove Independent.]

In this county, of course, we do not have large farms, in comparison with the extensive fields of California, but here each man has a section, half-section or a quarter, as the case may be, and so we have a thickly settled community, where wealth is evenly distributed, and no large landed proprietor lords it over tenants. The land in this county that is adapted to wheat raising, is evenly fertile, both high and low producing well—all the way from twelve to fifty and sixty bushels to the acre. The farming lands on the Tualatin Plains generally produce about twenty bushels to the acre, on the river bottoms from forty to sixty; on the river and creek borders the ground being overflowed every winter is consequently richer. Take the farm of Henry Buxton near Forest Grove, for instance. This has about 275 acres of wheat land. A large part of this land lies on Gales' creek bottom, and is exceedingly fertile. It has been in constant use for thirty successive years, each year a crop having been raised off of it; it shows but little sign of failing. In these thirty years Mr. Buxton has raised every season from 3,000 to [illegible] bushels of grain, a [illegible] about 100,000 bushels. His wheat he has sold generally at $1 per bushel, for being a farmer of means and pretty shrewd, he has always got a good price for his wheat. So that he has sold grain probably to the amount of $40,000 or $50,000.

And there is the farm of Mr. A. T. Smith, which has just been rented by Messrs. Shipley & Tyler, lying near the Grove having 400 acres of excellent river bottom land, from all of which a man with fair [illegible] could raise from 10,000 to [illegible] bushels of wheat per annum. And there is Jacob Hoover's farm on the North Plains, a section claim, and every foot of it productive and easily put into cultivation. We cannot tell how much grain Mr. Hoover has raised on it, but enough, we imagine, to feed all Webfoot for several months. And there are hundreds of farms in this county equally productive.

SECRETARY R[illegible] [illegible]. A Washington dispatch dated December 17th, says Secretary [illegible] has been in a letter to [illegible] previously expressed views that it is better to [illegible] the [illegible] by it [illegible] national debt [illegible]. He says he selected [illegible] and coffee [illegible] public would feel the tariff on these less than on any others, and as to articles of taxation pertaining to the Internal Revenue Bureau the money can be collected without additional expense to the Government.

The Secretary to-day, after the necessary examination, ascertained that the public debt has increased since the 1st instant $[illegible].

Up river boats now running through the locks and canal, thence up Yamhill and Willamette rivers.

ANTI-MONOPOLY!!

A Gallant Victory in California!

Newton Booth Elected Senator!

Let the Corruptionists Take a Back Seat!

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 20.—Booth was elected in joint convention to-day on the first ballot.

Booth's vote in joint convention was sixty-one. A number were absent.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 20.—The ballot for Senator for the short term to-day, resulted about as formerly—no election being secured. The election of Booth causes much rejoicing here, and dispatches from other portions of the State express the public satisfaction over the result. It is generally regarded as a second grand triumph for the people over railroad monopoly.

OROVILLE, Dec. 20.—A salute of 100 guns was fired here this evening in honor of the election of Booth to the Senate.

VISALIA, Dec. 20.—There is much rejoicing here to-night over the election of Booth as Senator. A salute of 21 guns was fired, bonfires blazing on the streets, and quite a display of fireworks was made.

NEVADA, Dec. 20.—Guns firing, bells ringing, bonfires, bands playing, and great rejoicing over the election of Booth.

NEARLY A PARALLEL CASE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

Though I am not intending to take part in any personal or political quarrel, and wish to be considered an outsider, I am compelled to tell a little story.

You charged H. Cason with some moral delinquency, and said you could name your witnesses. In reply he says, "name your witnesses and I will prove you an infamous liar by the *same witnesses*." You do name your witnesses, and they do swear as he says they will.

This is my little story:

Once on a time—during the Yakima war of 1855-6—there was a general gathering up of the Indians, who had lived scattered among the settlements, and placing them in small bands in charge of special sub-agents for care and supervision, in order that they might not hurt the whites and that the whites might not hurt them, both sides being in about equal danger and equally afraid of the other. As the white parties connected with this story are now living, and as the Indians may have left descendants who will be sensitive in regard to the honor of their ancestors, I clothe the principal actors with fictitious names.

A man by the name of—say Parrish—was Indian agent at the time in Oregon. Another, by the name of—say Smith—who had a store at St. Helens for the sale of wet and other groceries—was made special sub-agent, to feed and watch the Indians who had been gathered at that place. The more Indians the more pay; the better the Indians lived the more popular, and therefore the more populous "Smith's Reserve." In a short time it became famous; the other sub-agencies were being deserted, and rumors reached agent Parrish's ears that Smith was offering unlawful inducements to attract the Indians about him. So he took his times and came down from headquarters to examine for himself.

When he reached St. Helens, before announcing his visit to Smith, Parrish, like a prudent General, made a thorough reconnoissance—I believe that is the correct military word—of the Indian camp. He found some of the Indians drunk, some getting drunk, plenty of whisky in camp, and all the Indians told him that Smith sold it to them.

Parrish took the names of the principal witnesses and then called at Smith's store, where he found the gentlemanly sub-agent, immersed in business, but apparently very glad to see him. Parrish was too full of indignation to accept the ordinary civilities which the polite Smith extended to him, and without answering the greetings of the sub-Agent, immediately presented his charges.

"Mr. Smith, I am shocked and astonished at your conduct; I expected better things of you!"

Smith, meekly and innocently, inquires:

"Why, Mr. Parrish, what is the matter?"

Parrish—"Why, sir, you have been selling the Indians whisky, not only violating the law, sir, but, sir, betraying the confidence reposed in you when you were appointed special sub-Agent."

Smith—"Why, Mr. Parrish, you must be mistaken; you are misinformed."

Parrish—"I am not mistaken, sir! The Indians are all drunk now, and I am not misinformed. I know by the best evidence in the world, that they got their whisky of you, sir; they told me so."

Smith—"You can't place any confidence in what the Indians say."

Parrish—"Can't, sir? why, I have lived near twenty years here in Oregon, and I know personally that the Indians will tell the truth to their friends, and, sir, I am a friend to the Indians and they know it. Their testimony on this whisky selling is legal testimony, too, sir, I would inform you."

Smith—"What Indians say I let them have whisky?"

Mr. Parrish pulls out his memorandum book and gives Smith the names of his witnesses. (Just here I am struck with the parallel. You gave Mr. Cason the names of your witnesses.)

Smith—"Brother Parrish, Mrs. Smith is an old friend of yours, and would like to see you. She has not been very well lately, and I think wants to talk with you on religious matters. You walk into the house and see her. I will be at leisure in a few moments and will come in, and we can then go down to the Indian camp and examine into this matter. There is some mistake and I think I can make it all satisfactory to you."

Parrish goes to the house and Smith remains at the store attending very energetically to his business, principally in the back room where the spirits are kept. All that outsiders heard transpiring was a confusion of tongues, talking in English and Indian jargon.

Time passes in the house so pleasantly with Mr. Parrish, that before he is aware of it dinner is ready and he is invited to a seat at a very bountifully spread board. When dinner is over he is [illegible] more comfortable, his indignation is somewhat calmed down and he has almost forgotten his business. Mr. Smith, who never forgets business, says: "Brother Parrish, I am at leisure now, and if it suits you, we will go down and settle that Indian business." They repair to the camp and the investigation commences.

Smith—"Which one of these Indians says that I let him have whisky?"

Parrish—"That one told me you sold him whisky this morning," pointing to [illegible].

Smith—"To the Indian—Did I sell you a bottle of whisky this morning?"

Indian—"Wake." (Jargon for no.)

Smith—"Did I ever sell you any whisky?"

Indian—"Wake." A little more emphatically.

Smith—"Did you ever tell this man, pointing to Parrish, that I ever let you have any whisky?"

Indian—"Wake! wake!" Very emphatically, "Spose nika pilton?" [illegible] (Do you think I am a fool?)

Smith—"Where did you get your whisky?"

Indian—Pointing to Parrish—"Yaka potlatch." (He gave it to me!)

All the witnesses were interrogated with the same result.

Not a word was said. Smith looked at Parrish with an expression of injured innocence. Parrish looked at the Indians with a sad smile upon his countenance, and when Smith bade him good-bye at the boat he thought he saw a sly twinkle in Parrish's eye and felt certain of a warmer squeeze of the hand when they parted.

The Indians had a big drunk that night, and Smith continued Sub-Agent to the end of the Yakima war.

THE END.

THE TERRITORIES.

A Philharmonic Society has been formed at Seattle.

Several tons of ice have been put up by the citizens of Olympia.

Rev. Mr. Hetzler organized a branch of the American Bible Society in Seattle, last Sunday.

The schooner *Letitia*, heavily laden, recently sailed from Whidby Island to Olympia—91 miles—in twelve hours.

On Saturday last the steamer *Blakely* towed from Eliza camp a raft of 700,000 feet of saw logs for the Port Blakely mill.

The number of children attending public school in Seattle is 1[illegible]. Last year there were only 420 recorded on the books.

Bids are asked by the Auditor of Lewis Co., W. T., for the construction of a Court house at Saundersville, the new county seat.

Dr. H. C. Willison, of Tacoma, has been appointed Resident Physician of the Insane Asylum at Steilacoom, vice Dr. Stacey Hemenway.

It is stated that the steamer *Rose*, owned by Allan Francis, has been seized by the Customs authorities at Sitka for running without a license.

There is a possibility and a strong probability that the steamer *Zephyr* will be put on the Seattle and Tacoma route, making semi-daily trips between the two places.

The Olympia Seminary, as conducted by Prof. Young, Miss Catlin and Mrs. Mase, has an excellent repute. The higher branches are taught and 70 pupils attend daily.

Hon. S. E. Barr, Inspector of Customs at Oysterville, says that so far this season 70,560 baskets of oysters were exported from Shoalwater Bay, for the months of September, October and November.

Within the past year several fine vessels have been built on the sound. Among the many places on Puget Sound where vessels have been built, Port Discovery has turned out her full quota, and the vessels launched from her stocks rank as well as any built on these waters.

On Friday of last week the residence of A. Mabie's farm at Robinson's Prairie, near Olympia, was entirely destroyed by fire, including furniture. Nothing was saved. The cause is unknown as the men who have the place in charge were absent at the time. Mr. Mabie places his loss at $2,000.

A correspondent of the *Tribune* at Port Townsend, sends the following: "I met Capt. Johnson, of Utsalady, W. T., a man of iron will, fine appearance and full of business. He has built six ships since 1860. He launched the bark *Modoc* at Utsalady, a few days ago, of which he says it was only six months from the time he laid the keel until she was ready for sea."

The Territorial Penitentiary at Steilacoom is still vacant, for the want of necessary furniture, and Marshal Kearney is waiting for instructions from the Attorney General as to its disposition. At least $2,000 worth of furniture is absolutely necessary before the occupancy of the building. The capacity of the edifice is for about forty convicts, and there are more than that many in the different county jails already.

On Saturday, 13th inst., there was a fearful southern gale in the Straits of Fuca, off the Vancouver Island coast. Nothing could face it, and the powerful steamer *North Pacific* was obliged to remain in port, contrary to previous sailing announcement. The U. S. Revenue cutter *Reliance*, a topsail schooner, made the run almost under bare poles, from Point Wilson to Victoria harbor—thirty-seven miles—in two hours and forty-five minutes.

A fine barkentine is at present being constructed at Port Discovery for Mr. John Kentfield, of San Francisco. Her dimensions are: length of keel, 140 feet; breadth of beam, 36 feet, depth of hold, 12 feet. The construction of this vessel is under the supervision of Mr. Charles Murray, the builder of the barkentine *Eureka*, well known on the sound, as a substantial vessel and a fast sailer, and also the constructor of the schooner *Big River*, built at Freeport last summer.

The following business has been transacted in the Supreme Court at Olympia up to the 13th inst., Judges Green and Lewis present: Shoudy vs. Brown, et al., continued to July term. Corbett vs. Territory; motion to remand overruled, written argument to be filed Saturday morning. Collins vs. King county, judgment of Court below affirmed. Carr vs. King county, writ of error dismissed. Waterman & Katz vs. Phinney; dismissed. Stark vs. Jenkins; continued on condition. Kitsap county vs. Carson, case dismissed. Mahon vs. O'Neal; dismissed.

The settlers round about Snohomish have been a little excited by one of the neighbors coming in and reporting that a cougar had been visiting his farm and making meat of one of his finest, fattest sheep. Expecting another visit from the same, he salted the carcass with strychnine, and left it where it could be found and chewed without unnecessary trouble. The next morning, Mr. Farmer discovered that he had bagged his game, for there, alongside of some torn sheep skin and a few bones, was a veritable cougar, as dead as a cold chisel. The animal was a large one, measuring 6 feet 2 inches from nose to tail. The Library and Literary Association have started a little museum with his remains.

In the course of a conversation with a gentleman living near the mouth of the Snohomish river, on a farm which has been reclaimed from the sea by diking, the *[illegible]* gains some items that may be of general interest. There are vast quantities of tide lands bordering the Sound in many places to the northward of the Snohomish river. Much of this land has already been secured by settlers. The soil is a black loam of great depth and fertility, but there are days in every month when they are overflowed by the tides to the depth of two or three feet. This, of course, would kill all except the natural vegetation, and to render the land available for cultivation, dikes have to be constructed. These are made by throwing up an earthern embankment, sodded over, at least on the water side, to prevent its being washed away. They are usually about six feet wide at the bottom, and three feet on top, and three or three and a half feet high. Our informant informed us that he and a neighbor had constructed one about 100 rods in length, enclosing their two farms, giving them about 150 acres. They averaged about two rods of diking per day per man, so that the expense was no greater than for fencing on other lands. These lands are claimed to be more productive than even the best river bottoms, and being at the water's edge, are of course more profitable when fairly under cultivation. Snohomish and Whatcom give promise of becoming the richest agricultural counties in the Territory in a few years, and these tide lands will contribute in no small degree toward enabling them to reach that proud eminence.

SUPREME COURT.

December Term, 187[illegible].

[illegible]

Court met pursuant to adjournment.

[illegible] of yesterday.

J. T. Cooper respondent, vs. J. R. H[illegible] appellant, [illegible] Dec. 10th to strike out a part of the stipulation for the reason that said stipulation is no part of the record of said cause, argued and taken under advisement.

Frankel Sutherlin, respondent, vs. John Roberts, appellant, [illegible] argued and submitted.

Court adjourned until to-morrow morning at 9 o'clock.

The body of George B. Howard, recently proprietor of the St. Charles Hotel at Eugene, and who died about two years ago of paralysis, was taken up last week and sent to Albany for interment.

OREGON.

Roseburg is to have a bank, not a faro bank either.

Now that the snow has disappeared the farmers are again industriously plowing.

J. O. Norris, a printer, for some time in the State *Journal* office, died in Eugene City on the 15th inst.

Sheriff Palmer, of Benton county, collected over $1,200 for taxes, at Monroe, on one day last week.

The Odd Fellows of Junction will entertain their friends on Christmas Eve with a [illegible] chowder.

Miss E. A. Owens, a well known lady of Roseburg, will shortly start for Philadelphia, where she purposes to graduate as an M. D.

A brakeman on the Eastside road was thrown from a platform car near Oakland last week, and so badly hurt that he was left at that place.

F. Sutherlin, of Douglas county, was last week offered $12,000 for a lot of [illegible] which he owns, on the Umpqua. The ranch contains 1,000 acres.

Wm. A. Mills, Esq., long a resident of Washington county, has removed to Clackamas county, and gone into merchandising at Marshland with Mr. Philips.

Several people were "dumped" into the Willamet at Springfield the other day, by the upsetting of a hack. They all reached home in a living, but wet, condition.

Rev. Joseph Emery, formerly of Corvallis, has been elected Corresponding Editor of the *Pacific Methodist*—San Francisco—organ of the M. E. Church South for this coast.

Colonel E. C. Kemble, U. S. Indian Agency Inspector, took a look at things on the sub-agencies at Siletz and Alsea last week, and we presume found everything in good shape.

A Grange was organized by R. M. Guerney at Myrtle Creek, Douglas county, on the 16th inst., with thirty members. E. G. Gibbs was elected Master, and R. Weaver, Secretary.

The Eugene *Guard* says: A bridge has been placed across the McKenzie at Hayden's ferry. An effort is being made to procure funds to bridge the Willamette river at Springfield.

Messrs. S. Dark & Co. have purchased of Mr. Edward Cartwright, within the last few days, a farm of 277 acres on French Prairie about six miles below Salem. The price was $5,000.

Since the snow fell in the coast range the wolves have come down on the sheep in the folds in Yamhill and Polk counties, and many sheep and a few wolves have been killed.

Henry Waters, of Looking Glass, Douglas county, met with a very severe and painful accident. A team which he was driving ran away and threw him from the wagon, dislocating his shoulder.

A man named John McMorral, of Polk county, has been put under bonds to appear before the Grand Jury because he was unable to explain how he came into the possession of a horse lost by Mr. Talbot at the State Fair.

The next subject for discussion at the Hillsboro Literary Society is "*Resolved*, That Government should grant aid in lands to some responsible parties to finish the Westside Railroad, and to build a branch from Hillsboro to Astoria."

The M. E. Sunday School at Hillsboro, propose having a Christmas Tree on Christmas eve. It is not confined to the members of the Sunday School alone, but is free for all; all articles, however, being subject to inspection by the Committee.

At a regular meeting of Eugene City Lodge, No. 11, A. F. & A. M., held on the 17th, the following officers were elected for the ensuing Masonic year: F. B. Dunn, W. M.; J. G. Gray, S. W.; F. B. Blair, J. W.; L. Ackerman, Treasurer; Wm. R. Walker, Secretary; C. A. Davis, Tyler.

A young man living near Independence by the name of Lick, while out hunting the other day met with a serious accident. It appears that while loading his gun, it was discharged, driving the ramrod entirely through his hand between the thumb and fore finger, while the ball was lodged within an inch of where the rod came out.

The Richmond *Inquirer* speaks as follows of the clergyman now on the way to Oregon to take charge of the Episcopal Church in this place: "Rev. J. E. Hammond, late pastor of the Monumental Church, has left for his new home in Oregon, with the regrets and best wishes of our entire community." Mr. Hammond is expected to arrive here about the 25th instant.

Mr. James Brown, better known as One-Arm Brown, for many years the energetic messenger of the Indian Office, and whose home has been in Salem most of that time, is about to start on an expedition among the Malheur Indians. In case of his death while absent he leaves, by will, the sum of one thousand dollars to be given to the Children's Aid Society.

The *Gazette* says: "On Thursday last, W. C. Evants, Esq., directory canvasser, now sojourning in Corvallis, received the sad intelligence of the death of three sisters and two brothers, with their families, from yellow fever, at Little Rock, Arkansas. Out of twelve relatives, but one—a sister—is left. Truly, the avenger of the scythe and torch has made fearful havoc in this family."

John Hartin's barn, at the mouth of Looking Glass, in Douglas county, was destroyed by fire on Friday last. Some of his children, it seems, were playing about the barn with matches and from these the fire, which afterward did so much damage, was kindled. We have no account of the loss sustained, but from what we can learn it appears the barn was a large one, well filled with hay and grain and farm implements.

A letter in the *Statesman*, from Independence, says, "We came very nearly having a conflagration lately. A little child, about four years old, accidentally and playfully set some straw under a carpet on fire, but a lady happened to notice it in time to put it out. Ten minutes more, and who can tell but the hotel and the four warehouses, nearly adjoining, containing 80,000 bushels of wheat, would have been swept away. Moral: Don't leave children alone with a candle burning."

Our Hillsboro correspondent says: "The Forest Grove *Independent* is amusing itself by throwing the 'Debating Club' at the head of the Hillsboro Literary Society. Perhaps it may be necessary for Hillsboro to set up one again with Forest Grove. In that case they will have to acknowledge that they have been the best stand with set of folks in this section. If you mean business trot out your hobbies or stop talking. The blue stockings of Forest Grove will be apt to consider the foregoing a 'family challenge.'"

Our several exchanges from up the valley continue to note the arrival of many immigrants, who, tired of the rigorous winters of the Northern States, are come to seek homes in this genial climate. The Benton *Democrat* says: "On Tuesday last arrived in our city, Mr. Beardsley and family, of New York; Mr. [illegible] and wife, of Michigan; E. T. Hyland, a son of T. A. Hyland, of this city and Mr. Brown, both of Chicago. Mr. George [illegible] also returned, accompanied here by his father, Captain William Stevens, mother and sister. All these people will locate around us. Welcome."

The *[illegible]* says: "Nowadays, [illegible] this little city, and you will not find a town of like population in all Oregon than Dallas with more moral and law-abiding citizens and fewer rowdies and loafers than this town. It has three churches, well sustained and but one saloon, and that will go down, judging from the recent accessions to the Good Templars who number one hundred. Such acts as burglaries and incendiarisms, which we see chronicled in nearly every paper in the State, are utterly unknown to Dallas; as for rowdyism, it is seldom that any of the residents are implicated in any such acts. Tip there is, or rather was a clan that made this its rendezvous or place to hold its drunken orgies, but this set have disbanded [illegible] [illegible] other headquarters."

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

The steamer *California* was announced to sail from Victoria to Sitka Tuesday morning, the 16th. About 20 miners with supplies were to leave for the Cassiar mines on her.

Rev. Percival Jenns, Rector of St. John's Church, Victoria, proposes to deliver before the Mechanics' Literary Institute of that city a course of lectures on Spectrum Analysis.

On Thursday evening, at Nanaimo, Mr. Richard Nightingale was badly stabbed in two places by a miner named Philip Clark. The stabber was arrested by Mr. Fawcett. Both men are much respected at Nanaimo, and it is hoped that Mr. Nightingale's injuries will not prove fatal.

The *Colonist* says: "On Saturday Mr. Ganner, of Nanaimo, lost a fine little boy, aged about twelve months. He was buried on Monday. On the same day Mr. Hopkins came near losing his second son. The boy was playing with powder and was severely burned about the face and it was feared he might lose his eyesight; but at last accounts he could see a little."

Ten head of magnificent beef cattle were received at Victoria from Olympia last week. They were shipped by Samuel Coulter, Esq., to Messrs. Stafford & Goodacre, to supply the patrons of that firm a prime article of roast beef for Christmas time. They average about 1600 pounds, gross weight, are expected to dress about 850 or 900 pounds, and were raised by Mr. Amos Tullis, of the Chehalis region.

An Ottawa telegram of the 9th, speaking of the Canadian Pacific Railway, says: "It is unquestionable that the intention is to commence three sections simultaneously: The first from the westernmost waters of Lake Superior to Fort Garry in Canadian territory; second, from Fort Garry to the Rocky Mountains; third, from British Columbia—probably New Westminster—east to the Rocky Mountains. The Thunder Bay section will not be constructed until the country can pay for it."

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LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
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Roseburg ....5:15 A. M.	Portland ....4:15 P. M.

SALEM EXPRESS TRAIN.

LEAVE.	ARRIVE.
Portland ....4:20 P. M.	Salem ....7:50 P. M.
Salem ....6:37 A. M.	Portland ....10:05 A. M.

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The Daily Oregonian.

MONDAY MORNING DECEMBER [illegible] 1873

SENATOR BOOTH

California [illegible] Governor has been [illegible] [illegible] his State in the Senate [illegible] Newton Booth [illegible]. He is no politician in the ordinary sense of that term. He has been well known in California for many years as a gentleman of scholarly attainments and [illegible] but he was never before the public in connection with political matters, if we rightly recollect, until he was brought forward [illegible] for Governor. Diligently pursuing his business of merchant he gave little attention to anything else. Lovers of [illegible] literature however remember him as an occasional contributor of very pleasant matter to the magazines.

When Booth appeared on the stage in connection with politics he so [illegible] his talents to be such as not even his personal friends had given him credit for possessing. His manner and his methods were not the manner and the methods of the professional politician, but if they wanted somewhat of the shrewdness and craft than are generally deemed [illegible] to success in politics, this lack was more than compensated for by the power which his stirring convictions of right, and his directness of attack and of defense gave him with the intelligent and honest people with whom he came in contact. And when, last summer he took the field as stump orator against the corrupt rings of all parties he quickly demonstrated by how much a truly great mind, actuated by high and honest purposes can overmatch the cunning of the craftiest politicians. The rings selected their strongest man to meet him in discussion before the people of California, John B Felton, eminent as a lawyer and orator practiced in all the arts of popular debate, and, backing him with official influence and with the liberal use of money among the masses, sent him out to destroy the champion of the people. They sent him wool gathering, and he came back shorn.

The country expects much of Booth—possibly more than he can, or than any other man could perform. His position were a most difficult one, if he stood alone but he does not. The sympathies of the country are with him, and he will find when the time comes for him to take his seat that he has allies in the Senate. It requires no prophetic vision to see that his election is but the beginning of victory in which the people of many other States are soon to share. The eyes of the whole country have been bent on the contest in California, and the hearts of nearly the entire country have been with Newton Booth. He may henceforth be the central figure in the ranks of the reformation. He has won the right to that position. But he will not stand alone, the people's Senator, among the Senators sent to represent parties and rings at the Capital of the nation.

Long life and much more good, loyal, effective work to you, Newton Booth, Senator of the people.

ANOTHER BUBBLE COLLAPSED.

The collapse of the last Santo Domingo scheme is announced. When three years since, the President thought the interests of the United States would be promoted by the purchase of Santo Domingo—a position in which he had the sympathy of many of the most enlightened statesmen of the country—the Senate refused its consent to the purchase and the scheme had to be abandoned by the President. It was known, however, that he greatly desired to see his views carried out and a company of speculators misreading the character of Grant and thinking they saw an opening for a big haul in the way of "filthy lucre," formed themselves into a company and bought the seaport and surrounding country at Samana Bay—Santo Domingo, expending a vast amount of money in negotiating and perfecting the purchase. It was predicted that an attempt would be made to revive the scheme of having the United States purchase the port, at least and thus shift off the speculation from the private company to the Government at a great advance upon the cost to the company. To accomplish this the President's assistance was counted on. Well the entering wedge was prepared by a request that the United States establish a protectorate over the colony settling on the island. The rest would have followed as a matter of course. But the President instead of giving the scheme his affirmative and active support, barely called the attention of Congress in his recent message to the fact that such a request had been made. And Congress for its part took no notice whatever of the matter. The [illegible] [illegible] and the planners were left with their elephant on their hands to get along with it as best they might. The [illegible] just what one might have expected. The scheme is given up, the would-be grabbers of Government funds pocket their loss and the Santo Domingo bubble completely collapses.

THE PEOPLE'S VICTORY.

We send our readers greeting this morning with the good news that the efforts of the people of California to free themselves from the control of the corrupt [illegible] been successful to the extent of electing a United States Senator in spite of the corporation and all the political rings combined. The election of Newton Booth is not only the securing of the right man to be Senator but it is more. It is a triumph of the people over the rings, of the citizens as individuals with individual rights to be guarded and protected over aggregation of influence and money brought into combination to subvert the rights of the citizen and secure the aims of the corporations. In this signal victory [illegible] [illegible] what never political [illegible] [illegible] for it is the earnest [illegible] which are to crown the earnest [illegible] efforts of the people in every section of the republic. A victory achieved at so great a cost of labor and vigilance and long suffering as through which the people of California have struggled for years has the double lesson that it encourages those who strive for honest Government in other States by demonstrating the possibility of overthrowing the rings, and at the same time admonishes that the [illegible] result is not to be accomplished with a single spasmodic effort, or in a single day. Diligence, perseverance, persistence are the conditions of success, the reward.

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B[illegible] [illegible]

On the 19th inst we said: "One of the Grand Jurymen [illegible] [illegible] according to his own statement was [illegible] in [illegible] money for election [illegible] [illegible] paying [illegible] [illegible] for the [illegible] voters."

There have been some feeble attempt at denial of this [illegible]. Below we give a statement of the matter according to the sworn evidence of H Cason, the man to whom reference was made. It is made by A C Gibbs, U S District Attorney, and it shows we were correct in our charges.

PORTLAND, Dec 20, 18[illegible]

To the Editor of the Oregonian:

I suppose your article of the 19th inst. as to a Grand Juryman not then named was made upon my authority or upon some statement made by me.

Bad advisers have got Mr Cason into difficulty and made it necessary to give his name to the public by pretending that the charge in the Oregonian was false and that no Grand Juryman had made any such statement. There is no law or rule that requires a District Attorney to keep secret what takes place in the Grand Jury room and as a matter of justice to you as well as the public I will give the substance of the sworn statement of Mr Cason before that body so far as it relates to the matters in issue in this controversy as nearly as I can in Mr Cason's own language. And to refresh my memory I have referred to my notes of his evidence taken at the time and the notes of his testimony kept by the Clerk of the United States Grand Jury.

H Cason after being sworn said in substance: That he met once or twice with [illegible] at [illegible] office in Portland. That there they talked about the campaign and raising money to run it as is the custom—to treat and raise the steam and get the boys up. I went out just before election, did not go far as I was alone. I said to the boys that there would be some money sent over to East Portland, don't want you to lose your time. I intended to see they did not lose their time. I did not promise to pay them positively but told them the money would be there. I spoke to Peter Williams at the sawmill. He did not come and vote. Told him he would get $3 50—what he was making at the mill. I spoke to John Collins, Henry Ridgeway and my son who was in town. Told Collins he could get $5. Some voted.

In order to fully understand the statements of Cason and the contracts it is necessary to quote from the testimony of John Collins and Henry Ridgeway before the same Grand Jury. Collins swore: There was money used at East Portland to influence voters. A man wanted to know what I was doing that day. His name was H Cason. Cason said there was money for me to work on that day, said it would be a good day's wages. I went to the designated spot. There I met Mr Cason. He showed me over to Maj Johnson. Cason told me he was the man that handled the money. I went in to Major Johnson. He sent me down to Mr Ferguson with an order and I got the money—five dollars. When the order was presented to me I had not voted. Cason said this to me first before I came down town. I voted in the afternoon. Money did not influence my vote.

Henry Ridgeway testified: I was at election in East Portland. I got $5. We were together when Johnson wrote the order. Went in Smith's wagon to get the money. I then voted.

This evidence was given before the first Grand Jury. Yours truly, A. C. GIBBS.

We think the above letter justifies our former statement, and more too. The facts show a combination more extended and corrupt than we had charged. In the language of Collins "*to influence voters*" here was a bank, cash balances on hand, a system of checks, and at least one drummer or traveling agent.

A dispatch announces the purchase of the wires of the Atlantic and Pacific Telegraph Company by the Western Union Company. This places all the telegraph lines of the country except the private lines connected with the railways in the hands of one company. The Western Union has had a practical monopoly of the business in many sections of the country for a long time but it has used its advantage with such regard for the public interests and the rights of individuals as to make for itself friends everywhere. We wish it continued prosperity so long as it shall pursue the liberal policy that has hitherto characterized its conduct.

After all the fuss and rant about the insult given to our flag in the capture of the *Virginius* it appears highly probable that the filibuster ship had no right to carry the flag. This inquiry would have been in place a little sooner.

The confirmation of Hon Geo H Williams as Chief Justice appears less likely now than ever before. At least that is the face put upon the matter by the dispatches published this morning.

From a Boston dispatch of December 16th we learn that the New England Women's Tea Party celebrated the one hundredth anniversary of the throwing of the tea into Boston harbor this afternoon in Faneuil Hall. About 3,000 persons were present.

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The Fourth Lecture of the Course will be delivered by SYL C SIMPSON Esq of Salem on

Friday Evening, Dec. 26, 1873,

At [illegible] o'clock

Subject—THE DEATH PENALTY.

The growing sentiment of the age is in favor of the abolition of the death penalty. In some States it has been done away with already. Mr Simpson [illegible] for its continuance. His subject has a [illegible] well known and we are sure that every argument which can be adduced in favor of his position will be made [illegible]. His style is clear and concise, abounding in metaphor and illustration drawn from history and real life. As a speaker he ranks among the first.

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200 Beaver Suits left at $10 per suit.

A large stock of Boys and Youth's Clothing left.

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Sugar Toys,

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Fancy Gilt Hearts,

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With Patent Candle Holders.

Fancy Boxes,

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PRIZE CANDY BOXES!

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Of the Finest French Candies,

Nuts, all kinds, New Crop,

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CANDIES! CANDIES!

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FOR THE OLD AND YOUNG!

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Will leave Portland Warehouse and Dock Company's Wharf at foot of F street for the above port,

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Oregon Steam Navigation Co.'s

PASSENGER SCHEDULE.

PASSENGERS LEAVE PORTLAND

FOR DALLES—Daily (Sundays excepted) at 5 o'clock A M.

FOR ASTORIA—Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 6 A M.

FOR KALAMA and OLYMPIA—Daily (Sundays excepted) at 6 A M.

FOR MONTICELLO, WESTPORT and CATHLAMET—Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 6 A M.

FOR TACOMA and SEATTLE—Monday, Wednesday and Thursday, at 6 A M.

FOR VICTORIA—Wednesday and Saturday at 6 A M.

S G REED, Vice President.

Oregon Steamship Company's

STEAMBOATS.

Notice.

FROM AND AFTER MONDAY, Sept 22d the steamer

E. N. COOKE

Will leave OREGON CITY every day (Sunday excepted) at 7 30 A M for Portland, returning, will leave Portland for Oregon City at 2 30 P. M.

Passengers for LAFAYETTE and all intermediate places will take CARS at 8 15 A M, connecting at Canemah with the steamer DAYTON on Monday, Wednesday and Friday, connecting at Oregon City with the O & C R R Co at 3 P M on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday for Portland.

THROUGH TICKETS sold at the Office of the O & C R R Co at REDUCED RATES.

All Freight by this line delivered to consignees FREE OF DRAYAGE.

Freight received until 5 P M.

J D BILES, Agent.

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Passage to Corvallis	$2 00
Passage to Albany	1 50
Passage to Salem	1 00
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FREIGHT WILL BE RECEIVED FOR CORVALLIS and intermediate places from and after date. J D BILES, Agent.

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Portland & Vancouver Packet.

THE STEAMER VANCOUVER,

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WILL LEAVE DAILY FROM WASHINGTON Street Wharf for Vancouver at 2 30 P M. Returning leave Vancouver at 8 A M. For freight or passage apply on board.

The Steamer Calliope

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FOR

Christmas and New Year's

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OYSTERS IN EVERY STYLE,

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I will sell at my Auction Salesroom on

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At 10 o'clock A M

ALSO

BEDROOM DINING ROOM AND KITCHEN FURNITURE

ALSO

- 25 cases COAL OIL
- 200 bxs CANDLES
- 100 doz TIN PLATES
- 125 doz London CUPS and SAUCERS
- 125 bxs TOILET SOAP
- 100 bxs Family SOAP
- 100 doz LAMPS
- 10 doz HAT RACKS
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I will sell on the premises formerly occupied by Wells, Fargo & Co. on the corner of First and Stark streets on

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At 10 o'clock A M

That entire stock of VICTOR VOLNEY, Esq., consisting of

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II

Thou shalt not choose to thyself any other merchant. Thou shalt not bow to them nor go into their speeches, for B HAMBURGER is an able dealer capable of drawing his customers to the third and fourth generation.

III

Thou shalt not seek in vain for cheap goods, for they can be found for cash at B HAMBURGER'S.

IV

Thou shalt bear in mind that upon six days of the week thou canst make all thy purchases of B HAMBURGER, but on the seventh day he must rest from his weary labors.

V

Thou shalt honor B HAMBURGER by paying up, and long may be thy days to enjoy the fruits thereof. He pays the highest market price for all kinds of country produce.

VI

Thou shalt not commit an outrage on the proprietor by purchasing goods, but go direct to B HAMBURGER'S corner First and Salmon streets, where you can get all you want Cheap for Cash.

VII

Thou shalt not adulterously wed strange goods into thy house, but always buy of B HAMBURGER.

VIII

Thou shalt not steal goods from his store, for [illegible] are so cheap that it would be a sin. B HAMBURGER pays the highest market price for Butter and Eggs.

IX

Thou shalt not bear false witness, but acknowledge that thou canst get better goods and cheaper goods at B HAMBURGER'S than any other store in Portland.

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The Tenth [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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MONDAY MORNING DECEMBER ... 1873

CITY.

[illegible] —Concerning Mr Geo ... J ... Ainsworth, a well known gentleman of this city who ... the State University of California ... the Oakland News of ... days. On the train this morning goes George J Ainsworth ... representative of the Iota Chapter of ... Zeta Psi fraternity to the Grand ... at Easton Pennsylvania. Mr Ainsworth is a graduate of the ... University of California and at the time ... was Captain in the University ... has been pursuing a ... course. He leaves his ... to attend the annual ... fraternity of which he is a member, the Zeta Psi, is one of the oldest and best college secret fraternities, its founder ... Mason and has Chapters in most of the leading colleges in the East. Its number is limited—only twenty students. From all the reports that we have of the University we learn that the Zeta Psi, being the only recognized ... in the institution, is the ... men in the University. It has been ... by experience in Eastern Colleges that ... secret fraternities instead of an evil ... a great good. Certainly there must be something of good in them to induce Mr Ainsworth to go so great a distance in this ... season, at such an outlay of money ... expense. His brother Zetas ... at the Grand Central Hotel ... to his room ... a prosperous journey and a speedy return.

ARRESTED.—A young man named Eddie was arrested ... in Washington county last Friday on suspicion of being implicated in the murder of ... Robins, who it will be remembered was shot through the head and instantly killed some time last April. Robins resided in Clackamas county, some distance from Oregon City, on the west side of the river. He was a bachelor and lived in a small cabin entirely by himself on a farm. One night, some person or persons stealthily entered the cabin and shot Robins through the head while he was asleep. The murder was not discovered for several days after its perpetration and then by a neighbor who chanced to call at the cabin. The murder created considerable excitement at the time and persistent efforts were made to track out and detect the perpetrators ... the slightest clue was ever obtained ... guilty party. For some reason suspicion ... recently to fall on the young man Eddie and he was arrested and brought to this city. He is now in the city jail. The examination will take place to day in the Police Court at one o'clock. Eddie is about 1... years of age and we understand he is very respectably connected. We sincerely trust that he may be able to establish beyond a doubt his non complicity in this terrible deed of blood.

ABSENT MINDED.—A few days ago while on a business trip to the Capital the State Treasurer requested his deputy to loan him the keys to the Treasurer's office as he desired to procure some articles he had left there. The request was complied with, and our State Treasurer after transacting his business in the office proceeded immediately to the depot, arriving there just in time to catch the early express. Soon after his arrival here a dispatch from his deputy was handed him. Judge of his astonishment upon reading the brief wording "Where's my keys." He had placed the bunch of keys in his pocket and was reminded of the fact as above. There was a suspension of business in the State Treasurer's office for that day.

WEATHER REPORT.—From the records of the U S Signal Station of Observation, Portland Oregon, December 20 1873:

	7 A M	2 P M	9 P M
Thermometer	40°	41°	40°
Wind direction	S	[illegible]	Calm
Velocity in miles per hour	4	1	
Weather	Cloudy	Cloudy	Lt Rain
Rainfall			.0 30 inches

DECEMBER 21 1873

	7 A M	2 P M	9 P M
Thermometer	41°	44°	43°
Wind direction	S	N W	S
Velocity in miles per hour	[illegible]	2	9
Weather	Hvy Rain	Cloudy	Lt Rain
Rainfall			0 86 inches

ARRIVED.—The bark *Navigator* arrived here yesterday in tow of the steamer *Annie Stewart* from St Helens. This bark has been lying at the last mentioned place discharging ballast and receiving dunnage. The *Navigator* was at this port last year and loaded with grain for England. After reaching her destination the *Navigator* discharged her cargo and loaded for Rio Janeiro. From there she proceeded in ballast to this port. She is under charter to carry away another load of grain and will soon commence to receive wheat for the United Kingdom.

OFFICERS ELECTED.—At a stated communication of Portland Lodge No. 55, A F & A M held last Friday evening, at the Masonic Temple, the following officers were elected to serve the ensuing Masonic year: J B Congle, W M (re-elected); J W Dolph, S W (re-elected); Theo Wygant, J W; J C Ainsworth, Treasurer (re-elected); B G Whitehouse, Secretary (re-elected). The officers elect will be installed on the evening of St John's Day together with the officers elect of the different Lodges of this city.

IN THE RIVER.—From Capt Babbidge of the *Annie Stewart* we learn that the following vessels are in the river at present: The *S ...* is at Kalama, the *W... r* at Oak Point, the *St Michael*, *W H Meyer*, *Tonquin*, *Mary E Ray* and *Aurora* are at Westport, the *Sophia* is at Astoria. There are two vessels down at Fort Stevens and two more off the bar with pilots on board. The schooner *Hera* is in tow of the tug *Merrimac* and may be expected here to day.

SICK.—We are sorry to learn that Rev John Rosenberg of St Stephen's Chapel, has been quite ill for several weeks with facial erysipelas which has prevented him from attending to his ministerial duties. His many friends and especially his congregation will wish him soon to be restored to his health and to his duties. In the meantime the services at the chapel are performed by Bishop Morris and others.

OPINION ... DELIVERED.—His Honor Judge ... will deliver an opinion this morning in the U S District Court on the de... [illegible] United States ... The opinions ... were delivered last Saturday ... published elsewhere.

SPECIAL MEETING.—Pursuant to call of ... a special meeting of the Common Council will be held this evening. ... Christmas eve this ... has been called ... that no meeting will be held on Wednesday.

[illegible] —The Superintendent of ... [illegible] ... of the Asylum.

[illegible] —Dispatch received from ... was snowing ... [illegible]

[illegible] —By dispatch ... from the Dalles ... [illegible] ... will arrive here ... returned.

[illegible] ... for winter clothing ... and ... an increase ... to the case at Beck & Waldman's who ... prices down. They ... and until further notice ... just call at Beck & Waldman's, Washington and Front street.

ONE YEAR AGO TO-DAY.

ANNIVERSARY OF THE GREAT FIRE OF DECEMBER

To day is one year ago the great fire of December occurred. About ... o'clock ... morning of the 22d fire was discovered ... the city sounded the alarm. The fire which swept away in a few hours ... property started in a Chinese ... north corner of ... Morrison streets ... When first discovered the fire ... the ... in which the fire originated ... wooden ... These tenements were ... and placed upon piling ... work which gave the fire ... When the fire department arrived at the scene which was within ... minutes after the ... tapped the fire had completely enveloped the building and were proceeding ... toward the center of the block. About the same time a ... breeze came sweeping up from the ... the fury of the ... It required the entire fire Department ... forward with heartfelt strides ... than three long hours the contest was waged when at length ... the wind the flames succumbed to the ... efforts of the firemen.

The course of the flames in their destructive march was as follows: The fire as before stated originated on the lower side of Front near Morrison. It confined itself to that side of the street until Alder was almost reached. So intense was the heat that the buildings on the opposite side of the street began to smoke and blister, and a moment later the fearful and agonizing cry of "the fire has crossed Front street" was heard from a hundred throats. On the west side of Front street more than one fourth of the block lying between Morrison, Alder, Front and First streets was laid in ashes. Carter's large brick building was reduced to a mass of blackened ruins. One other brick building (occupied by S J McCormick) was also destroyed on that side of the street, and several wooden buildings. By almost superhuman efforts on the part of the firemen the flames were arrested in their course and the remainder of the block saved from a similar fate.

Meantime the efforts to beat back the flames at the foot of Alder street had proved unavailing. The fire crossed over by means of the wooden wharf and began its work on the next block north lying on the east side of Front street. One large two story brick building and a smaller one was almost totally demolished, and all the wooden buildings on the bank and the wharf to the rear was reduced to ashes. Favored by a lull in the wind the firemen were enabled to overcome the fell destroyer and gain the mastery.

Portland lost by this fire—the most destructive which up to that date had ever yet visited her—in the vicinity of $500 000 worth of property. Two blocks and a fourth were laid in ruins by the conflagration and many individuals were very severe losers. Although only the short period of eight months elapsed ere Portland was again visited by a fire five times as destructive, those who lost by the fire of December have gone forward bravely in the labor and expense of rebuilding. With the exception of one block—that one in which the fire started—the ground traversed by the flames one year ago this day has been covered with far more costly, pretentious and durable edifices. On the west side of Front street we observe a marked improvement in the character of the buildings. Mr Carter is the only person sustaining loss by the December fire who has not erected a better building than the one destroyed. At the corner of Alder and Front streets that gentleman had constructed, some years before, a magnificent imposing brick structure. This building fell before the fiery blast which for some hours beat with the fury of a thousand furnaces against and around it. In the place of this building has been constructed a neat plain but very substantial brick structure 50x100 feet and two stories high—the former one was three. Next to this building is a two story brick 50x80 feet, erected by Mr Wiberg. South of this is another brick structure 25x80 feet constructed by Capt Holman. Mr J A Fisher has also built a small brick structure 18x50 immediately south of the last mentioned. This fills up entirely the gap made by the fire on that block. On the block east of Front between Alder and Washington streets the improvements are equally noticeable. Every wooden building on that block were totally destroyed and the two brick buildings were ruined, nearly all the walls being warped by the heat and thrown down. Hon H W Corbett who owns the building at the corner of Alder and Front streets has repaired or rather rebuilt the structure from the foundation. It is now a better building than before the fire. This structure is 50x80 feet and two stories high. North along the same street Cook & Richardson have rebuilt their brick—25x80 feet and two stories high. Mr J P O Lownsdale has also erected a building adjoining the last of equal dimensions. Mr M S Burrell has just completed a new brick building in the same row 50x80 feet and two stories high. At the corner of Washington and Front streets, Mr Elijah Corbett has just finished the construction of a two story brick building. This completes the entire block which was destroyed. As before stated no buildings have been erected on the block where the fire first started. Some foundations however have been laid during the present season for the erection of a number of buildings on that block by Mr G W Vaughn and Mr C M Carter. No work will probably be done the present winter, but we feel warranted in saying that before another twelve month shall have passed over our heads all that block now vacant and bare will be covered with substantial buildings.

Since the fire Mr C M Carter has constructed a wharf and warehouse on the south side of the foot of Alder street. He also has in process of construction a large wharf along the river front extending from Alder nearly through to Washington street. This wharf is about 70x150 feet, and two stories high. It is the largest improvement of that character made the present year in the city. Considering all the disadvantages under which these improvements were prosecuted, the stringency of money and the depressing effects of the dreadful fire of August last, the pluck, spirit and enterprise manifested by those who sustained heavy losses one year ago to day is worthy of praise and emulation.

AMUSEMENTS.

That most clever of magicians Carl Bosco gave an entertainment at Oro Fino Theater last Saturday evening. He was announced to give an exhibition of his matchless tricks on Friday evening, but being unavoidably detained by the ... he was unable to reach the city until it was too late. Of Mr Bosco's performance we are warranted in speaking in the warmest terms of praise. There is not a sleight of hand performance he essayed but what was executed with an ease and celerity truly surprising and gratifying. ... [illegible] ... the clever ... feats of wonder ... [illegible] ... His ... spontaneous growth of flowers is a most surprising feat of the magic art ... [illegible] ... the public ... [illegible]

PERSONAL.

Mr P D W Hert... ... absent from the city ... [illegible]

Mr W K Badger who has been engaged in the sale of Woods ... and Hallet Davis & Co ... pianos in this city for the past two years will shortly close out his stock preparatory to his departure for San Francisco where he proposes to engage in business with his father.

One price—quick sale—no plated jewelry at B L Stone's. Three important matters for those having to consider.

All who have seen the opera chains at Stone's pronounce them really beautiful.

FAIRS AND FESTIVALS

The event of the past week in the way of fairs was that held at Armory Hall by the St Vincent de Paul Society, who received ... funds for the purpose of ... hospital ... taking into consideration the dull times ... [illegible] ... the several tables worked with a will ... the ... to the ... Sisters ... [illegible] ... brought ... [illegible] ... wards swelling the receipts. Nightly President ... McCormick, assisted by Misses Herrin, Wiley, Richards, ... Flock and Mularkey ... distributed the raffled articles and otherwise lent valuable assistance to the numerous ladies who were present ... [illegible] ... the ... the cry of "only ... more" ... [illegible] ... while but one more number to fill up the ... [illegible]

The fire trumpet had its workers the contest being narrowed down to three companies ... Of course the excitement became intense on the last night and as a matter of course the crowd was large on Saturday evening. The friends of the fire companies appeared in large numbers upon the scene and as the hour of closing approached the voting became more and more exciting. At 10 o'clock Mr Wiley ordered the polls closed ... to count the votes. In the meantime the various articles were raffled off with the following result:

Castle of Nature (hand work picture) Maggie Burke; Catholic Bible, Miss Emma O Connor; diagram of St Peter's Cathedral, Thos Richardson; ... Mrs Ward; embroidered cloak, Rev Father Goens; music album, Mary N Harrington; portrait of Father Burke, Frank Temple; child's ... lounge, ... Emil Lafewell (picture); Thos Callahan; writing desk, Chas Skidmore; gent's dressing gown, Susan Dischler; Madonna, ... Rodger; boy's suit, Peter Wilhelm; child's apron, ... dress, Katy Christy; autumn picture, ... McKay; child's bonnet, Maggie Kelly; sofa cushion, P Welch; fancy work box, Miss M McCor...; cake, Father ... ; child's lounge, D ... Harrington; doll, Chas Hansen; velvet sofa cushion, ... Plum; fancy bead basket, Susan Bucher; feather wreath, also framed wax flower cross, Father Glorieux; music album, ... Brentwater; Indian painting No. 11. In addition to the above were several child's dresses, wax flowers, sofa cushions, pictures, &c. In the ... the raffling was at ... close Chief Engineer Bruch handed to Mr McCormick the result of the vote on the trumpet as canvassed by the Committee appointed for the purpose. It was as follows:

Multnomah	1087
Columbian	14
Willamette	[illegible]
Protection	18
Hook and Ladder Co	1
Tiger	

Multnomah Company having received the largest number of votes the trumpet was accordingly handed over to Miss Mary Sheridan, a member of the Company who had worked for No 2. Mrs Baltimore and Miss Gorman received and deserved the thanks of Companies for which they worked so industriously. The fair closed with an auction sale of goods remaining on hand. The receipts foot up larger than was anticipated. Below are the receipts as furnished by the Treasurer:

Table No 1 Maggie Burke	$500 00
" 2 Miss Egan	141 60
" 3 Mrs Mularky and Robinson	156 50
" 4 Misses Richards and Hickey	1.. 70
Mrs ... Martin	228 10
Refreshments Mrs Cline and Stewart	..0 00
Lost ... Misses Showers and Raleigh	[illegible]
Confectioneries Misses Wolfe and Dekum	91 ..
Floral stand Misses Kiernan and Fay	[illegible]
Grab Bag	14 ..
Fortune Wheel	00
Door	193 60
Trumpet	2 00
Total	$2 5.. 60

Further receipts to come in will increase the above to over $3 000.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Christmas at hand

Catholic Fair closed

Bosco again to night

Snow gone—mud again

Steamer due this evening

U S District Court to day

Skates and sleighs are to take a rest

Columbia still closed above Vancouver

Good boating on the upper Willamette

Great December fire one year ago to day

Willamette Fire Co's ball Christmas Eve

Several days' Eastern letter and paper mail due.

Shipping ... be ... animated again.

The San Francisco steamer will be due here to morrow.

There may be some Eastern mail by the coming steamer.

War to be declared this week on turkeys, geese and chickens.

The three new fire engines are soon to be formally housed.

The new steamer above the sawmill will soon be ready to launch.

New Year ... ball for benefit of Independent German School at Masonic Hall.

Street cars are again making regular trips and average pedestrians are once more happy.

The rain is coming down in large quantities and the mercury in smaller quantities is going up.

The steamer ... will leave early this morning for the lower Columbia for towing purposes.

At an early hour this morning the *Fannie Troup* and *Dixie Thompson* will leave for Kalama and Astoria.

The steamer ... will leave this morning with the mails for Vancouver touching at a point six miles below that place on the Washington Territory side of the Columbia.

THE COURTS

U S DISTRICT COURT—DEADY J

SATURDAY D... 20

No ... United States vs R H ... attempting to procure illegal vote ... the Court ... demurrers sustained ... and that defendant be held ... to next Grand Jury and that defendant appear for arraignment ... plead ... not guilty ...

No 505 United States vs R Henline ... demurrer overruled ...

No 3.. United States vs Nicholas O Neil ... same ...

United States vs Silas Wright embezzling letter ... [illegible] ... entered ... of the ... trial.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

[illegible]

...City Market to day.

...Washington and Alder ... ward.

During the holidays ... [illegible]

... establishment ... [illegible] ... purchases

... J O N... & Co.
... J O N... & Co.
... J O N... & Co.
... fancy goods at ... J O N...
... J O N... & Co.
For the ... J O N... & Co.
... J O N... & Co.
... J O N... & Co.
... J O N... & Co.
... First street is the place

IMPORTANT DECISIONS

U S District Court—District of Oregon—Saturday Dec 20 1873.

United States vs R Henline No ... —Indictment for illegal voting.

DEADY J:

...indictment in this case was found December ... and contains two counts ... the first count ... at an election held on October 1.. 1873 at South Portland ... in the county of Multnomah and State of Oregon for Representative in the Congress of the United States ... R H ... did then and there knowingly, etc., ... unlawfully ... the right of suffrage ...

The second count ... that the defendant ... the sum of ... for the purpose ... with the ... aforesaid ...

...The indictment is found under ... of May 31 1870 ... which ... provide that ... any election for representative ... in Congress of the United States, any person shall ... by bribery ... reward or offer thereof ... prevent any qualified voter of any State of the U S ... freely exercising the right of suffrage ... such person shall be deemed guilty of a crime.

Assuming that this provision was intended to prohibit the giving or offering any bribe or reward to induce or procure *a vote to be given ... or to ... the other or ... all ... the vote* as I think it was because such reward or offer thereof, if accepted and acted upon by the voter, necessarily prevents him from exercising his right of suffrage freely, still this indictment is insufficient because it does not charge in either count that said Bruce was a qualified voter—a person qualified to vote at the election in question—but only that he claimed the right to vote thereat.

It does not follow because Bruce claimed a right to vote that he was entitled to it. The one expression is not the equivalent of the other. The act provides in a separate clause for the offense of voting by a person not entitled to vote, for aiding, procuring, counseling or advising any such person to vote, which includes hiring him to do so. But it cannot be said that any one is prevented by any act from exercising his right of suffrage freely unless he has such right at the time, and that fact must be averred by stating in the language of the act or other equivalent terms that such person was then and there a qualified voter.

The demurrer must be sustained.

... District Attorney.

Richard Williams for defendant.

U S District Court—District of Oregon—Saturday Dec 20 1873.

The United States vs R Henline No 505—Indictment for illegal voting.

DEADY J:

This indictment was found December 9 and contains two counts.

The first count charges that at an election held on October 13 1873 at South Portland precinct, in the county of Multnomah and State of Oregon for Representative in the Congress of the United States the defendant did then and there knowingly, etc., offer to give to one James Johnson he the said Johnson then and there not being entitled to vote at said election for the reason that he was not twenty-one years of age, the sum of $2 as a gift, bribe and reward to him the said Johnson to vote at said election for Representative in Congress of the United States contrary to the statute etc.

The defendant demurs to this count and for cause of demurrer says that it does not appear that he counseled or advised said Johnson to vote.

This indictment is found under two provisions of the act of May 31 1870 ... which taken together provide ... that if at any election for representative ... in Congress of the United States, any person shall ... *counsel, procure or aid ... person* ... to vote without having a lawful right to vote ... such person shall be deemed guilty of a crime.

It not being alleged that Johnson voted at the election of course the defendant could not ... aided or procured him to vote. But if the defendant *counseled or advised* Johnson to vote, then although the latter did not vote he would be guilty of the crime defined in the clause of the act above cited.

The sufficiency of the count then turns upon the question whether it appears therein that the defendant counseled or advised ... under the circumstances, to vote.

In U S vs Bach... ... [illegible] ... that "It is not in general necessary in an indictment for a statutory offense to ... the exact wording of the statute. It is sufficient if the offense ... set forth with substantial accuracy and certainty to a reasonable intendment. The ... from the common law where a different rule ... supposed to ... apply ... The words ... or ... are not ... in the ... equivalent ... [illegible]

Now it is alleged in this count that the defendant offered to give Johnson $2 ... to vote ... him to vote—not only counseled him by words but added the persuasive argument of a bribe. If it was alleged that the defendant counseled Johnson to vote ... proposed to him to vote or recommended or advised him to vote, there can be no question but that the allegation would be in substance the same language as that of the statute ... but when he offered him ... to induce him to vote he thereby did all this and more. When the defendant offered this ... to Johnson ... it was ... necessarily ... and counseled him to vote. The only criticism that the count is ... that it ... more than is necessary ... generally ... following the words of the statute. The demurrer therefore is overruled.

The second count ... [illegible] ... was not a qualified voter.

It is usual and proper where an indictment ... [illegible]

[illegible]

... qualify that part of the allegation which related ...

UP THE COLUMBIA

To the O S N Co we are indebted for the following weather report from ... the mountain ... received ... Saturday evening; the weather was as follows:

Wallula—Weather cloudy; thermometer ... wind blowing up stream.

Walla Walla—Cloudy; thermometer ... thawing all day.

Umatilla—It's thawed very little to day; cloudy to night; thermometer ...

Dalles—Cloudy; thermometer ...

Cascades—Cloudy and thawing a little; thermometer ...

Last evening at ... o'clock the weather was as follows:

Wallula—Weather clear; thermometer 28°

Walla Walla—... Cloudy, thawing all day; thermometer ...

Dalles—Weather clear; thermometer 2..°

Cascades—Cloudy and cool; thermometer 32.

Umatilla—Clear; thermometer ...

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

The following are the arrivals at the principal hotels of the city yesterday:

AMERICAN EXCHANGE

C L Lloyd, Albany	J Jupp, Oregon City
W A McCoy, Belleview	T I Davis & wife, Salem
...	M Hosford, Brooks
J W Parker, ...	J Nichols, Salem
... Rogers, Seattle	J D Thorn, Jefferson
H Simon, W T	D I Turpin, Cornelius
C B Miner, Cascades	J Marks, Canby
M Call, ... Country	J M Hulery, Dayton
C Crandall, ...	Miss Lucy Hay, F Prairie
C McHandy, Vancouver	W Ball, North Yamhill
W Neville, Dalles	A Wright

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Daniel High, S F	Mrs S M Todd, Astoria
John ... Salem	W S McConnell, Yamhill
F W Cornell, Albany	

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J B Odeneal, Salem	Dean Blanchard, Rainier
J J McArthur, Dalles	P F Ferchard, Astoria
Thos Clancy, Kalama	A Peyton, Willow Creek
W J ... Kent	Wm L McCabe
Albert ... Yamhill	J A Biddins, Rock Island
...	J Bullard, Oysterville
Miss ... Lean, LaCon...	A C Archbold, O City
...	C W Barr & wf, Olympia

... HOTEL

Fred ... Victoria	M Field, Chehalem
A Meyer	Thos Logan, Kalama
... Owens, ...	Jas Stephens
J Walker ...	Wm G Kay, Clifton
... Seattle	W ... Lee
... Albany	A L Carrol, Country
J M Ball, Eagle Cliff	M Maney
... Eugene	... Cowlitz
... Marshall, Junction	M ... Albany
J W Clark, Oregon City	W Patterson, O City
W D Fallinger, Hillsboro	... Williams, Castle Rock
...	Mrs Richardson, C Hill
... McAllister, Seattle	... Salem
Dr ... Forest Grove	Mrs Morse, Salem
...	Fred Wilson
...	... Johnson, Visalia
A C Bally, Oregon City	H F Baxter, Forest Grove
J Shemar, ...	Geo S Johns
J D Miller, Harrisburg	

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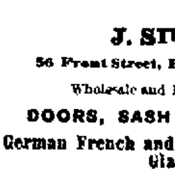

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MONDAY MORNING, DECEMBER 22, 1873.

REV. A. C. McDOUGALL'S REPLY TO T. H. CRAWFORD.

The Editor.—A war of words has been going on between the Secretaries and ex-Secretaries of the I. O. G. T., about the organization of the Grand Lodge of this State and [illegible] I claim to have organized that body, and a few persons declaring my statements false and slanderous. The ringleader at present, of said attacks, is the sweet pretty T. H. Crawford, of Salem, who [illegible] I now wish to prove the correctness of my [illegible]

1. Then, how is a Grand Lodge I. O. G. T. organized? Answer. By the Right Worthy Grand Templar or his Deputy, who must be a member of some Grand Lodge. The reason is plain: a member of a Subordinate Lodge cannot give what he does not possess. If he has never been a member of a Grand Lodge he knows nothing of its workings.

2. Who was the Deputy for Oregon and Washington Territory? Answer.—A. C. McDougall. See page 28, proceedings of Sept. 4, 1866, which reads as follows:

Rep. A. C. McDougall, D. R. W. G. T., proceeded and installed the following elected and appointed officers, etc. I claim to be the only person commissioned by S. D. Hastings, R. W. G. T. to organize the Grand Lodge of Oregon by performing the work only known by me. Crawford not being even a member of the Order. On page 10, Printed Proceedings 1867, D. C. Pearson says in his report: "Only four months have elapsed since our Grand Lodge commenced operations, by the perfection of its organization." Four months, mark! bringing it back just where I place it, on May 9, 1866. Crawford says the Grand Lodge was organized six and a half months before I entered the State. Admits, too, that the officers were not installed nor the private work given by anybody. I claim the Grand Lodge could not exist, either in law or fact, until the installation of its officers by proper authority; and every man of common sense will say I am correct. Crawford may throw dirt at me and call me liar and bilk, but he cannot get any man of common sense to believe a Grand Lodge can exist without the installation of its officers and the private work of the Grand body. But he must stand in that ridiculous position in order to cheat me out of the honor (if such it is) of organizing the Grand Lodge. He says I did not give the private work. In that he bears purely false witness. I did not only give all the private work they obtained in May, 1866, but at the request of the then Grand officers went to California and obtained the whole work and returned, giving the Grand Lodge everything relating to the private work at that meeting, September 4th, 1866, and the Lodge being poor made no claim at that session. The agreement being verbal is all the more reason why it should have been paid—viz., the $500 traveling expenses. On page 31 the Committee on Dues make the following report:

"Your Committee, to whom was referred the question of dues of subordinate lodges for quarter ending April 30th, report that on examination they find that about one-fourth of the Lodges in existence at the time paid their dues to this Grand Lodge, the remainder paying to the Grand Lodge of California contrary to the demands and requisitions of this Grand Lodge. We also find from the correspondence of the Grand Lodge of California that they demand all the dues for that quarter (April 30th, 1866.) But in our opinion they are not entitled to them. The following are some of the reasons which govern us in arriving at this conclusion: Our preliminary organization dates from October 3d, 1865, and our recognition by R. W. G. T. Hastings from January 3d, 1866 (Crawford's claim), but for reasons entirely beyond our control our organization could not be perfected until the 9th of May, 1866. What were these reasons entirely beyond their control? I can tell Mr. Crawford, viz., No Grand Lodge officer to organize them properly. I was that officer, and here is a plain admission (1) of the unreasonableness of the claim to be a Grand Lodge before May, 1866, and the positive fact of the Grand Lodge of California demanding the dues up to May, 1866, and the further fact of the common sense of three-fourths of all the Subordinate Lodges of Oregon sending their dues to California, thereby declaring their belief that the Grand Lodge of Oregon had no existence up to May, 1866. I have thus proved from the record that the Grand Lodge of Oregon had no existence until I installed their officers, and that even their own Subordinates entertained the same belief. I could prove much more, but space will not permit. In conclusion I ask: If I did not organize the Grand Lodge of Oregon, who did? Will the Professor tell us his name?

Having thus demolished every vestige of Crawford's cowardly attack, I feel assured the public will believe no more of his stuff. Crawford was not there, never saw what he speaks of, although he writes as if he did, and any man who can write a letter as he has done, can say almost anything.

Liar, bilk, etc., I leave to him, he can have a monopoly of it, my character must defend itself.

I admit error in the year, it ought to have been 1866, but the date does not alter the facts I have set forth.

I understand Mr. Crawford has written a party in Portland that war must be made on me to the knife. If I cannot be driven out of the field one way, something else will be resorted to: That I have been seen drunk, or something of that sort. Anything to beat McDougall and the Red Cross. What next?

A. C. McDOUGALL.

HOW CRUTCHFIELD GOT INTO THE CAUCUS.

The Washington correspondent of the Chicago *Journal* draws the portrait of the new members:

If you wish to enter the caucus chamber you could scarcely encounter more difficulties than fell to the lot of Crutchfield, the new member from the Chattanooga District, Tennessee. You shall know Crutchfield before the winter is passed. He is the successor of Mullins—everybody knew Jim Mullins of Tennessee. He is the Davy Crockett of this Congress. He presented himself at the main door of the House of Representatives in this attire. He was clad in Kentucky jean, all jean, save where the boots left off, and the seal skin cap began. Your attention is first drawn to his boots. You see all of them. The coarse, generous-fitting home-spun is stowed away with great precaution in the legs of the tough cowhide boots, whose corrugated furrows carry the undisturbed dust of many a campaign. His seal-skin cap is pulled down about his ears, and seems a continuation of his sun-yellowed, unkempt beard. He does not demand entrance. He proposes to go in. The guard at the door, although uncertain whether his office will not expire on the next day, and anxious to conciliate all likely to have any influence, repels the assault, and inquires if he is a member.

Crutchfield—"Of course I am."

The doorkeeper smiles, but refuses him admission.

Crutchfield, undaunted, tries another door, with like success. Every one of these doorkeepers is a doubting Thomas. There was but one chance left, and for that door Crutchfield made, carrying all the sovereignty of Tennessee with him. He was beginning to feel that the sovereignty of his State was outraged. And he approached the last door, muttering that he would sooner take a pack of strangers over the battlefield of Chickamauga than try to get into 'that 'yer caucus.' He is challenged at the door and again says:

"I am a member, of course I am. I have got all the grips and pass-words, and here they are;" and he produces from the resources of his jean a certificate with the great seal of the State of Tennessee attached. And your correspondent went through the porthole with him. The next time I saw Crutchfield he was resting his boots in the center of the area before the Speaker's desk, watching the counting of the votes.

Another City Treasurer Short of Cash.—Says a Chicago dispatch of 16th: It appears that there is a deficiency of about $500,000 in the accounts of David A. Gage the outgoing Treasurer of the city. A portion of the amount is on deposit at suspended banks and will probably be paid in full. As for the rest, or for any deficiency, Mr. Gage's bondsmen are responsible, and they deem Mr. Gage good for their security and more too. It is confidently anticipated that Mr. Gage will make a full and satisfactory settlement with the city in a day or two.

FINANCE AND COMMERCE.

Financial.

SATURDAY EVENING, December 20, 1873.

Gold in New York to-day, 111¼.

Portland Legal Tenders, buying 89, selling 90.

Gold bars are quotable at 725@735 fine.

Exchange on San Francisco at par.

Wheat in Liverpool, by mail advices from San Francisco—Average California 13s 4d@13s 6d, club, 13s 6d@14s.

The approach of the holidays [illegible] an appearance of [illegible] business [illegible] The freedom with which purchases are made, of [illegible] indicates a very fair supply of money in general circulation. We are [illegible] and holiday goods [illegible] in greater amounts than was anticipated, and a very encouraging state of general trade exists.

In the meantime our local money market [illegible] first class commercial paper are accommodated at the city banks with the usual readiness at established rates, while offers of loans are made on the street, at [illegible] per cent per month. Anticipated activity in the grain exporting business, however, is likely to absorb all the surplus funds now available in the course of a few weeks and times of some considerable stringency are looked for soon after the last of the [illegible] year.

Shipping Intelligence.

There are in port the Prof. Afry and the Powhatan [illegible] and are only awaiting the opening of the river to sail for the United Kingdom. The Disco is partly loaded and is ready to proceed down the river to complete her cargo. The [illegible] is loaded with wheat and lumber for San Francisco and ready to sail. The Mattie Macleay is loading for Honolulu.

The bark [illegible] left Victoria for this port on the 11th inst and is fully due.

The bark Navigator has reached her berth in this city and after discharging her remaining ballast will load with wheat at once.

Five or six of the vessels heretofore mentioned by us as in the river, have been towed from Astoria to points along the river above.

The bark Garibaldi and the ship Annie M. Small are reported in Shanghai, without engagements, October 21st.

The barkentine Portland and schooner Lovett Peacock were only four days from Astoria to San Francisco, on the last voyage.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 20.—Arrived: Br ship Andromeda, Newcastle, N. S. W.; Mill Wall, New Zealand.

Sailed—Celestial Empire and Southern Cross, Liverpool; Ida F. Taylor and Montana, Port Townsend, Free Trade, Portland.

Puget Sound Shipping.

The ship War Hawk sailed the 12th from Port Discovery.

Ship Springfield left Port Gamble on the 11th for Shanghai.

The bark Vidette left Port Madison for San Francisco on the 12th.

Barks Northwest and Oakland are now loading at Port Madison for San Francisco.

The brig Kolna arrived at Seattle from San Francisco on the 15th—she brought a large amount of Olympia freight.

Ship Lady Clarendon, having taken on board 975,[illegible] feet of lumber at Port Blakely, sailed on the 12th for Callao.

Bark Adelaide Cooper, for Santa Barbara, and bark Forest Queen, for San Francisco left Port Ludlow on the 9th inst.

A vessel arrived at Port Townsend on the 12th, and reported seeing a vessel floating bottom-up fifteen miles south of Cape Flattery. Several vessels have sailed from Burrard Inlet and Puget Sound lately, laden with lumber, and it is feared that the wreck seen may be that of one of those vessels.

San Francisco Stock Market.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, December 20.

Ophir	150	Dayton	27
Gould & Curry	20¼	R. Island	2½
B & B	26¾	Picton	60c
Savage	77	N Y Con	4
Hale & N	50	Occidental	4½
Chollar	62	Senator	75c
Crown Point	29	American Flat	[illegible]
Yellow Jacket	54	Tyler	1
Imperial	6¾	Central No. 2	37
Empire	5½	Union Con	5½
Kentuck	18½	Sutro	4½
Alpha	55	S Overman	19½
Belcher	9½	Fairmount	5¾
Confidence	4	Meadow Valley	13
Con Virginia	77	Raymond & Ely	37
Sierra Nevada	27	Woodville	2½
Daney	[illegible]	Silver Cloud	2½
Exchequer	25	Alamo	4
Segregated Belcher	95	Franklin	[illegible]
Overman	58	Nevada	2
Justice	9¼	Green	2
Succor	3	Seg Rock Island	75c
Buckeye	1¾	Genessee	3½
Julia	6¾	Golden Swan	[illegible]
Caledonia	3	S Comstock	2¾
Knickerbocker	6¾	Eureka Con	9¾
A & U	[illegible]	Pioche	9½
Globe	2¾	Phoenix	50c
Baltimore	3¾	P & P	3½
Bacon	3¾	Flag	4½
Bullion	26	Irigomar	70c
Utah	1¾	Belmont	29
Central	75	Newark	[illegible]
Silver Hill	14½	Rye Patch	10½
Eclipse	7	Watson	5
Challenge	7		

General Merchandise.

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS—Mowers: Buckeye, new model, $175; Buckeye No. 2, $150; Buckeye No. 1, $135; Buckeye Self-Raker, $270; Hand Raker, $225; Buckeye Dropper, $225; Chopper No. 2, $130; No. 3, $115; No. 1, $170; No. 5, $155; Sprague Mowers, Nos. 1 and 2, $125 and 135; Union, 130; Dodge's Reaper, No. 1, $250; No. 2, $230; Excelsior Reaper and Mower, $150; McCormick's Self-Raker, $200; Hand-Raker, $175; Harvesters: Marsh's $210; Haines' Headers, $325 and $355. Threshers: Vibrator Thresher, 8-horse mounted power, complete, $875; 10-horse mounted power, complete, $925; Sweepstakes, $870 to $825, with or without mounted power; [illegible] Improved Buffalo, Nos. 1 to 6, $660 to $825; Tornado, $775 to $825; Wheeler's Endless Chain, $500 to $525. Wagons: Bain, 3-inch to 4-inch thimble skein $150 to $180; Pacific do. $145 to $175; Mitchell, with patent or square hounds, and roller brake, $145 to $165.

BAGS AND BAGGING—Prices are weak, and standard 22x36 are selling in San Francisco at [illegible] per cent less than cost of importation. The same quoted here at 16 cents. Burlaps 10oz 40 inch 12c@12½.

BOOTS AND SHOES—Men's Slaughter Boots $48 [illegible] Cordova, $48@$51; Granite, $[illegible]; Columbia, $60@$63; P Calf, $[illegible]; Milford standards, $60@$63; J K & Co extra calf, $60@$75; Phila. B B calf, $60@$72; S F French calf [illegible]; S F half dress $60@$63; S F Congress Gaiters, $48@$50; S F Calf Oxfords, $[illegible]; S F B do. do. $24 [illegible]; Ladies J K & Co B calf se'd Bals, $25@$27; do do 1 kip polish shoes, $19.50@$21; do kid fox Bals, $21 [illegible]; S F do do $18@$21; S F XXX do do, $33@$36. Misses S F kid fox, $17.50@$21.

BROOMS—The jobbing prices are firm at $4@$5 per doz. for common and $5.50@$7 for best to extra best.

BUILDING MATERIALS—Oregon Fir rough, per M, $12@$14; dress flooring, $27.50@$30. Oregon Cedar, $35@$40; Eastern, 15@16c per foot, Eastern Hardwoods, 13@14c per foot, Laths, $2.75@$3 per M, Shingles, $2@$3.

CANDLES—We quote ℔ Sperm 40@43c; Paraffine, [illegible]; Adamantine, 15@18c; Grant's 18½@19c; Gross & Co's, 18½@19; Harkness' Wax, 20c; Ropes, 15@17c.

CANNED GOODS—Oysters, $[illegible]; Jams and Jellies, $[illegible]; Los Angeles Honey, $4.50; strawberries, $4.50; Raspberries, $[illegible]; Blackberries, $4.00; Pine Apple, $[illegible]; Green Gage, $3.75@4; Peaches, $[illegible]; Pie Fruit, $[illegible]; Green Peas, $3.50; Green Beans, $3.50; Lobsters, $[illegible]; Clams, $3; Green Corn, $3 [illegible]; Tomatoes, $2.75@$3; Quinces, $3.

CEMENT, &c.—New Jersey, $[illegible]; Calcine Plaster $5; Land Plaster, $2.50; Santa Cruz Lime, $2.50; San Juan Lime, $2.50; English Portland Cement, $6.75; Hoffman's New York Cement, $5.

COFFEE—Market well sustained at the following jobbing prices: Costa Rica, 22@23; Guatemala, 21@23c; Rio and Manila, 21@22c; Java, 28@29; J. F. Jones & Co's Ground Java, 29c; Chartres, 27c; Phoenix Premium, 21@23c.

DRUGS—Quotable in jobbing lots for Alum, 6c; Borax, 29@32c; Blue Vitriol, 12½@13; Potash, Grant's 10 cans, [illegible] doz, $2.25; Rosin, ℔ bbl, $[illegible]; Saltpetre in kegs, 16@22c per ℔; soda caustic, [illegible]; soda ash, [illegible].

DRY GOODS—Standard drills, 15@16c, sereuels, 15c; sheetings, light, 11½c; medium, 12½c; standard 14@15c; house lining, 8½c; bleached sheeting, [illegible]; Cotton Checks, 15@18c; linen checks, 18@25c; cambrics, 10c; Cotton flannel, bleached 16@20c, do, brown, 12½@18c; Cottonades, light, 20@25c, do, heavy, 25@45c; Denims, [illegible]; Hickory stripes, 12@20c; Standard prints, [illegible]; Delaines, [illegible]; Linseys, 20@[illegible]; Bear Duck, 24c; Table Linen, damask, brown, [illegible]; damask bleached, [illegible]; Diaper linen, [illegible]; Alpaca, [illegible]; Waterproof, [illegible]; Crash, [illegible]; Ginghams, [illegible]; Lawns [illegible]; Percales, 15@20.

FISH—[illegible] Mackerel, No. 1, [illegible]; do kits No. 1, [illegible]; do No. 2, $2.75; Salmon, [illegible]; extra brands, [illegible]; common brands [illegible] bbls, [illegible]; Canned Spiced fresh, [illegible]; Sardines, [illegible].

FRUITS (dried) AND PRESERVES—Apples, [illegible]; do machined, [illegible]; Peaches, [illegible]; Hungarian Prunes, [illegible]; Plums, pitless, [illegible]; Raisins, new crop, [illegible]; [illegible]; Currants [illegible]; Oregon do, [illegible]; Citron, [illegible].

GROCERIES—Market well stocked. Bi carb soda, [illegible]; Cream Tartar, 45c in bottles, 37½c in papers, [illegible]; Saleratus, [illegible]; Gherkins in qts [illegible]. We quote agents' Jamison & Rhodes' rates for [illegible] Wilson & Co's English Mixed Pickles in pts and qts [illegible] doz. English Sauces, pts and qts [illegible]; salad Oil, pts [illegible]; English Currants, [illegible]; Malt Vinegar, [illegible]; Baltimore Fresh Cove Oysters, in ℔ cans, $2.25 ℔ doz.

LIQUORS—Our market jobbing prices is quotable for Bourbon whiskeys $2.25@$5; Rye, do, [illegible]; Domestic do $1.20@2. Brandy—French brands [illegible]; $12; California brandy, $3@$6; California wheat whiskey, $1.37½ and the advance. Gin—Holland, [illegible]; Old Tom, $2.50@$4.50. Rum—Penn. $3.50@$4; Santa Cruz, $3.50@$2 to New England, $2.25@2.50; Jamaica, $[illegible] I & R Tennent's Ale, $[illegible] per doz. Blood Wolf Stout $4@4.50; John Cooper & Co. Ale, $4; McEwan's Ale $3.75@$4.

METALS—Market for jobbing lots for Iron—Scotch and English pig reported in San Francisco, [illegible]; refined bar, [illegible]; Sheet, 11 to 20, [illegible]; 24 to 27, 10c. Copper—Sheathing, [illegible]; do, Yellow, [illegible]; Sheathing, brazier [illegible]; Tin Plates—Plates, char coal, IX, per box, $[illegible]; char [illegible]; Roofing Plates, $17; Banca Tin, [illegible]; Steel—English cast steel [illegible]; Pig Lead, [illegible]; Zinc—Sheets, [illegible]; Quicksilver, [illegible].

NAILS—[illegible]; [illegible] sizes, $[illegible]; [illegible].

NUTS—[illegible] Brazil [illegible]; Hickory [illegible]; Peanut [illegible]; Pecan [illegible]; Walnuts [illegible].

OREGON WOOLEN Goods—Family Blankets, [illegible]; [illegible]; Flannels, [illegible]; [illegible]; Striped, [illegible]; [illegible]; Blue Mix, [illegible]; Plaid, [illegible]; [illegible]; Cloths, Hard Times, [illegible]; Cassimeres, $[illegible]; [illegible]; Doeskins, $1.40@$1.75; Tweeds, [illegible]; Repellant, $1.10; [illegible].

OILS—[illegible]; [illegible] seed, [illegible].

SOAP—Quotable at [illegible]; Stanford [illegible].

STARCH—The agents' rates with the usual discount to the trade, are for [illegible] boxes [illegible]; [illegible]; Pearl [illegible].

TEA—[illegible]; Japan, [illegible]; [illegible].

ROPE—Manila [illegible]; [illegible] and Hemp, [illegible]; cotton do, [illegible]; bale rope, [illegible].

SALT—Ground Rock, $17 [illegible]; Carmen Island [illegible]; Liverpool [illegible].

SALERATUS—Bacon's, 8½@9c; Donnelly's [illegible]; 10c. Babbitt's, 10@10½c.

TURPENTINE—We quote jobbing prices firm at 85@90 cents ℔ gallon.

PAINTS—We quote market in jobbing lots for Averill's chemical ℔ gal, $2.75; Atlantic, 13½@14; Harttel, 11c; North River, 11; Greenback, 10½; Wm. Brown & Sons, 13, French Zinc, white, 16; Devoe's Zinc, white 12; lampblack, Eddy's, [illegible]; German town [illegible]; ordinary, 25; Venetian red, [illegible]; Havre Ochre, [illegible]; red lead, 12½@13; Litharge, [illegible]; fire proof, 5@6 cents.

SYRUP—A fair demand exists at prices ranging from, in kegs, 50@52½c, bbls, [illegible] bbls. 42½@45c.

Hassalo Lodge No. 15, I. O. O. F.—Meets every Friday evening at 8 o'clock, in Odd Fellows Temple, corner First and Alder streets. Members of the Order are invited to attend. By order of N. G.

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IN U. S. DISTRICT COURT FOR DISTRICT OF Oregon. District of Oregon, ss.—In the matter of Oliver Pickard, Bankrupt. The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment, on the 1st day of December 1873, as assignee of Oliver Pickard, of Marion, Marion county, Oregon, who has been adjudged bankrupt on the petition of his creditors, in the above entitled Court.

A. B. COSPER, Assignee.

Salem, Dec. 8, 1873.

NOTICE.

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I HAVE APPOINTED Mr. H. B. MORSE my agent for the collection of all moneys due the late firm of Stimson & Co. Parties [illegible] the said firm must be settled up forthwith [illegible] corner Washington and Front streets [illegible]

D. S[illegible]

Portland Dec 6, 1873.

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TWELFTH YEAR OF PUBLICATION.

PORTLAND

CITY DIRECTORY

For 1874.

IS IN PRESS AND WILL BE PUBLISHED ON OR before January, 1874, the PORTLAND CITY DIRECTORY for 1874, embracing a complete Directory of Residents, a Directory of East Portland, together with a Business Directory and other statistics relative to the Progress and Present Condition of the city.

This being the TWELFTH ANNUAL ISSUE of the above work, the publisher will spare no expense to render it FULLY RELIABLE AND ACCURATE, his sole aim being to make the DIRECTORY useful to every citizen in Portland as a faithful annual index of the commercial condition of the city.

The CANVASSING FOR NAMES in this city and East Portland will be entrusted to reliable parties so as to ensure correctness in every detail.

Mr. A. BUSHWILER will solicit for Advertisements, and the publisher hopes that the same patronage may be extended to the contemplated issue that has been received during the past eleven years.

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NOTICE.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE COMMON Council of the City of Portland will be held on Monday evening, December 22, 1873, at 7 o'clock.

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GIBBS & HUCHES,

Attorneys and Counselors at Law.

Room No. 1 Dekum's Building.

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109 First street, opposite Occidental Hotel, Portland.

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L. B. TOWNSEND. [illegible] BEAL.

TOWNSEND & BEAL,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW,

PORTLAND, OREGON.

Office in Odd Fellows' Temple.

REMOVAL.

WHALLEY & FECHHEIMER,

Attorneys at Law

HAVE REMOVED FROM ODD FELLOWS' Temple to Rooms Nos. 7 and 8 in Gilman's Building, corner First and Ash Streets, Portland.

THOS. J. DRYER.

Justice of the Peace.

OFFICE—Front Street, between B and C.

F. A. CHENOWETH,

Attorney-at-Law—Corvallis, Oregon.

CITY ADVERTISEMENTS.

City Assessment.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE ASSESSMENT Roll of the City of Portland has been duly filed and will remain open at the Auditor's office until January 1st 1874, prior to which time all applications for correction of errors must be filed.

Particular attention is directed to the following section of Ordinance No. 113:

Section 3. Any person deeming himself aggrieved by the assessment, valuation or listing of property, may apply to the Common Council for a revision of the same.

Such application shall contain a list of all the property subject to taxation for city purposes, owned by or in the hands of or under the control of the applicant and a complete statement of the particular item or items claimed to be erroneously assessed, which said application shall in all cases be verified by oath or affirmation of the applicant and must be filed with the Auditor before the 1st day of January following the date of the filing of the Assessment Roll.

W. S. CALDWELL,
Auditor and Clerk.

December 1, 1873.

PATRONIZE HOME MANUFACTURE.

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Have Opened.

BOHLMAN & RETHLEFSEN HAVE opened their new Furniture Store on First street between Taylor and Salmon [illegible] [illegible] some of the latest styles. All kinds of New Furniture made to order. Also Repairing done at short notice.

G. W. VAUGHN,

OFFICE IN BRICK, CORNER OF FRONT AND Morrison streets. Room No. 2, Entrance on Morrison Street.

GEO. E. GILBERT, Agent.

MARKETS.

REMOVAL.

THE UNDERSIGNED TAKES THIS METHOD of informing the public that he will remove to the **CITY MARKET**

Stalls Nos. 25 and 26,

ON MONDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1873.

Thanking his many patrons for their patronage in the past he asks a liberal portion in the future, when he will continue to supply Families with

Choice Beef, Pork, Mutton, Veal, &c.

All those indebted to the store will please make immediate settlement and save cost of collection.

C. R. HOFFMAN,
Third Street Market.

CITY MARKET.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL REMOVE TO THE NEW MARKET, which will be formally opened to the public on the 2d inst.

They will increase their stock of GROCERIES and OFFER BETTER INDUCEMENTS to purchasers than heretofore.

Parties indebted to us will please CALL AT ONCE AND SETTLE UP and save cost of collection.

Grateful to our many patrons for their patronage in the past we hope to receive a continuance at our new place of business.

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Formerly of Stalls 6 and 7, now occupy

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INCREASED FACILITIES for DISPLAY.

Extra nice Meats for the Holidays.

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IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED States for the District of Oregon.—Notice of Assignee of his appointment. District of Oregon, ss. At Albany, the [illegible] day of December, 1873. The undersigned hereby gives notice of his appointment as Assignee of the Estate of Charles Mealey, of Albany, of the city of Albany in the county of Linn and State of Oregon, within said District, who has been adjudged a bankrupt upon creditor's petition, by the District Court of said District.

H. M. THOMPSON, Assignee of the Estate of Charles Mealey, bankrupt.

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TO THE UNFORTUNATE.

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623 KEARNEY STREET, NEAR COMMERCIAL, San Francisco. Established in 1854, for the treatment of Sexual and Seminal Diseases, such as Gonorrhœa, Gleet, Stricture, Syphilis in all its forms, Seminal Weakness, Impotency, etc. Skin Diseases of years standing and Ulcerated Legs [illegible] treated.

DR. GIBBON has the pleasure of announcing that he has returned from visiting the principal Hospitals of Europe, and has resumed practice at his Dispensary 623 Kearney street, corner Commercial, San Francisco, where his old patients and those requiring his services may find him.

The Doctor has spared neither time nor money in seeking out new remedies, and has returned with increased facilities for the alleviation of human suffering.

Horrible Diseases.

How many thousands of persons of both male and female, are there who are suffering a miserable existence from the effects of secret [illegible], or from virus absorbed into the system! Look at their pallid, emaciated and disfigured faces and their broken-down constitutions, disqualifying them for the happiness of marriage or the enjoyment of life. In this horrid situation thousands suffer until death closes the scene. Let parents, guardians and friends, attend to those who are suffering with any of these horrible, life-destroying maladies, [illegible] they are cared for and cured before it be too late. Send them immediately to DR. GIBBON, a physician who has made private diseases his especial study for years, and who is certain to cure the most obstinate case, without mercury or any injurious drug. It is important to those who are afflicted, and to those who are interested in the welfare of friends, to be careful of the many pretended [illegible] who infest all cities, publishing their skill in curing diseases in a few days, imposing upon the public by using the names of eminent physicians from Europe and other places. Be therefore careful and make strict inquiry, or you may fall into the hands of those charlatans.

Seminal Weakness.

Seminal Emissions, the consequence of Self-abuse. This solitary vice, or depraved sexual indulgence, is practiced by the youth of both sexes to an almost unlimited extent, producing with unerring certainty, the following train of morbid symptoms, unless combatted by scientific medical measures, viz: Sallow countenance, dark spots under the eyes, pain in the head, ringing in the ears, noise like the rustling of leaves and rattling of chariots, uneasiness about the loins, weakness of the limbs, confused vision, blunted intellect, loss of confidence, diffidence in approaching strangers, a dislike to form new acquaintances, disposition to shun society, loss of memory, hectic flushes, pimples and various eruptions about the face, furred tongue, fetid breath, coughs, consumption, night sweats, monomania and frequent insanity. If relief be not obtained should apply immediately, either in person or by letter, and have a cure effected by his new and scientific mode of treating this disease, which never fails of effecting a quick and radical cure. Dr. Gibbon will give One Hundred Dollars to any person who will prove satisfactorily to him that he was cured of this complaint by either of the San Francisco quacks.

Married Men,

Or those who contemplate marriage, who are suffering under any of these fearful maladies, should not forget the sacred responsibility resting upon them, nor delay to obtain immediate relief.

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Caution to the Unfortunate.

Beware of the San Francisco quacks and pretenders who, with bogus sworn-to certificates, dupe the unwary. Some of the self-styled doctors whose names are to be found in the daily and weekly newspapers of San Francisco and other places, are tradesmen and became too lazy to work at their trades. Some are tinsmiths, shoemakers, newspaper carriers, intelligence office keepers, etc. The only way to avoid imposition is to make inquiry—it will cost you nothing, and may save you many regrets; for, as advertising physicians in eight cases out of ten are bogus, there is no safety in trusting any of them until you know who and what they are. Dr. Gibbon does not deceive people by exhibiting bogus titles, certificates, pretended patients' letters, etc. Dr. Gibbon will satisfy persons who may call at his office, of his ability to treat diseases that he proposes to cure.

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IN U. S. DISTRICT COURT—DISTRICT OF OREGON. Notice in Bankruptcy.—In the matter of Samuel L. Baer, Bankrupt. Notice is hereby given that a petition has been filed in said Court by said Samuel L. Baer, duly declared bankrupt under the Act of Congress of March 2, 1867, for a discharge and certificate thereof, from all his debts and liabilities and other claims provable under said Act, and that the [illegible] day of [illegible], 1873, at 10 o'clock, A. M., is assigned for the hearing of the same before H. H. Northup, Esq. Register in Bankruptcy at his office in Portland, in said District, when and where any person may attend and show cause if any they have, why the prayer of said petition should not be granted.

R. WILCOX,
Clerk of said Court.

E. D. Shattuck, Atty.

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R. WILCOX,
Clerk of said Court.

E. D. Shattuck, Atty.

MILITARY ORDER.

WAR DEPARTMENT,
ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE,
Washington, [illegible] 1873.

THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES commands it to be made known that all soldiers who have deserted their colors, and who shall, on or before the 1st day of [illegible] 1874, surrender themselves at any military station, shall receive a full pardon, only forfeiting the pay and allowances due them at the time of desertion, and shall be restored to duty without trial or punishment on condition that they faithfully serve through the term of their enlistment.

By order of the Secretary of War.

E. D. TOWNSEND,
Adjutant General.

ASSIGNEE SALE.

I WILL SELL AT PUBLIC AUCTION IN THE town of Marion, in Marion county, on Saturday, the third day of January, 1874, at [illegible] o'clock A. M. the following Personal Property, consisting of Horses, Cattle, Wagons, [illegible] Farming Utensils, Platform Scales, Trucks, [illegible] Tools, together with a variety of General Merchandise, consisting of Dry Goods, Clothing, Notions, etc., with a variety of articles not here mentioned.

Terms: Cash in hand, gold coin.

A. B. COSPER,
Assignee of Estate of Oliver Pickard, Bankrupt.

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